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# GOOD HAND



The Lake Area Barber Shop is in good hands while owner Don Kerkman is away on his annual hunting trip. Can you find Kerkman in the picture? He's finishing up last minute details before leaving for his annual hunting trip.

# 'Bad Ass' kicked

By Julie Murphy

Staff Reporter

A final blow was served up to Tony Liotta, the Lindenhurst resident who wanted to open a Bad Ass Coffee franchise shop, when his lease was terminated with Great Lakes Principals (GLP), the developer of the Wal-Mart complex.

Though Tim Barrett, a partner with GLP, did not return phone calls to explain exactly what clause in the lease allowed him to terminate the contract, the lease was reportedly terminated.

Barbara Porch, who is both a village trustee and executive director of the Antioch Chamber of Commerce and Industry, made the announcement that the lease had been terminated. She said, "After the (Chicago) Tribune report came out yesterday (Sunday), I called Tim Barrett and asked him to look into the legalities."

Reports in Sunday's paper said Liotta acknowledged that he pleaded guilty to killing his girlfriend 16 years ago. Liotta could not be reached, but information from the Cook County Court Clerk (file 87-CR1457801) was that Liotta pleaded guilty before Judge James Bailey in 1988 to two counts of murder and one count of con-

cealing a homicidal death.

Reportedly, Liotta stabbed his girlfriend during a fight in their Chicago apartment in September 1987 and disposed of her body in Lake Michigan. Liotta was sentenced to 20 years in prison, and was released on parole in 1997.

Liotta, and the Bad Ass Coffee franchise, have taken hits from residents opposed to the franchise name and wanted the lease terminated on that basis alone. Prior to Liotta's history resurfacing, Barrett said he didn't have a reason to cancel the five-year lease that had an option for another five years.

At the time he said, "We have made the offer to cancel the lease with no penalty. We made the gesture, but as we stand today, we have an active lease." Additionally, Barrett had said he had no desire to go after Liotta's car or home should his good-faith efforts to run the business fail.

Porch said this one of two times when she felt like she had really been able to make a difference as a trustee. She said, "This is an outcome that will make our community happy."

Trustee Dorothy Larson, who did not favor the name Bad Ass Coffee, said she thought it was unfortunate how all of this came about. She said, "I absolutely don't condone what he did 16 years ago,

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Dorothy Larson  
Village Trustee

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Mayor Taso Maravelas said he's glad the chapter has been closed on the coffee franchise.

"This is good for the mayor and for the board," he said. "This is a small, family-oriented town and this was not right for our community."

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# Resident pleaded guilty to attempted sexual assault of 6-year-old

By Julie Murphy

Staff Reporter

Villamor N. Cristobal, 43, of 327 Oakwood Drive, entered a negotiated plea before Judge Christopher Starck that reduced his charge from predatory criminal sexual assault, a class X felony that is punishable by 6-30 years, to attempted predatory criminal sexual assault, a class 1 felony.

Charges against Cristobal came on June 29 after the Antioch Police Department investigated a complaint made by the young victim. At the time, Cmdr. Craig Somerville

said the assault was alleged to have happened about two years ago when the victim was only 6 years old.

Somerville said the mother of the victim had been having a discussion with the child about proper and improper touching when the child told her of the assault. Police investigated the matter and brought in officials from the Department of Child and Family Services.

"We determined it was a valid complaint," Somerville said.

Cristobal was reportedly known to the family and had no prior criminal history.

Starck sentenced Cristobal to 36 months of periodic imprisonment with 24 months stayed

**'...the mother of the victim had been having a discussion with the child about proper and improper touching when the child told her of the assault...'**

Cmdr. Craig Somerville  
Antioch Police Department

pending the completion of the rest of his sentence. This means Cristobal may leave the jail for purposes of either work or psychiatric treat-

ment, but must return.

Cristobal's sentence includes 36 months probation. Additionally, he must register as a sex offender, must stay away from the victim, is not allowed contact with anyone under 18 years old and must pay for counseling for the victim.



Cristobal

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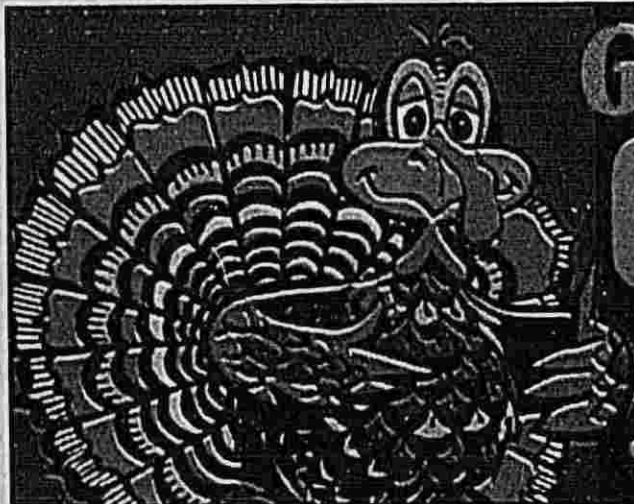
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## Patronage, sinecure job's goal

Mayor denies asking for job creation

By Julie Murphy  
Staff Reporter

Village administrator Alan Probst asked Village of Antioch department heads to create a position for an applicant who used to work for Mayor Taso Maravelas. The applicant listed Maravelas as the top reference, and said she'd known him for "25+ years."

Two department heads, both of whom asked to remain anonymous, said Probst distributed the application at the staff meeting and asked them to find a place for this individual within the village. Maravelas reportedly was in attendance for one-half of the staff meeting, though one source didn't recall whether or not he was there for that half of the meeting.

One said, "The mayor was sitting behind the administrator looking at his papers like he was clueless about was going on. Then we get the application and it says referred by Taso."

The mentioned portion of the two-page application is under the employment-desired heading and says that the position desired is any part-time position, at any salary level.

Both department heads concurred that they were instructed to create a position. "The administrator said we need to get a job for this person. I take that as we were being asked to create a position," one said.

The other added, "There are departments who have been trying to get extra help and money hasn't been available and they have been denied."

Both department heads were also in concurrence that they were told the individual has disabilities and would be limited in the types of functions that could be performed.

When asked about the situation, Maravelas said, "She knows me. If there's an opening, that's fine. If there's no opening and no need, that's fine. She asked me if I could help her, and I sent her to Alan Probst."

Maravelas said the individual is 64 years old and needs supplementation to social security because of health issues.

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## LATEST FASHIONS



Antioch resident Judi Mors models her beachwear during a fashion show parody at the Antioch Senior Center.

Photo by Sandy Bressner

## Parks chair asks for impact fee details

Balances could be as high as \$700K or as low as \$150K

By Julie Murphy  
Staff Reporter

Trustee Dorothy Larson isn't happy that she has yet to receive details of the village's park impact fee balances and structure. "I've been asking for this information for the past three and one-half years. Bob Caulfield has only been asking (for various financial details) for one year, and it seems he always gets what he wants," she said.

At the parks and licenses committee meeting Larson asked for specifics from finance director Trisha Steele. She said, "This money is supposed to be in a restricted account. Show me the account. If it has been spent, show me the repayment. The parks board keeps asking me how many dollars they have to work with, and I have no answer for them."

Larson said the park board needs to know its financial situation as there have been discussions about purchasing property and building an aquatic center. "The board doesn't even have a ballpark of how much money it can spend," she said.

Park impact fees, paid with new housing construction, are limited in their use and can only be used for purchase of park land or improvement of park land. Money not used within seven years is supposed to be returned.

Steele said there is about \$810K in land improvement fund, a fund that is umbrella to park acquisition,

park construction, the clock tower and the William E. Brook Memorial Wetlands and Entertainment Center among others. She added that it is not necessary to have separate bank accounts for each.

Steele said, "That's an old concept. Don't put us in that antiquated way of thinking."

Larson said, "We need, and I have not seen at the board level, a statement that breaks these things out."

Larson said the parks board is similar the combined planning and zoning board. "They oversee all the parks, and things like the aquatic center. They are advisory, but they are at least as important as planning and zoning."

Though Steele said, "I can tell you with confidence we have \$810K," that wasn't a good enough answer for Larson, in part because the money for the clock tower and the wetland/entertainment center have to be deducted.

During the discussion, questions arose as to whether residents of Neumann Homes had paid park impact fees that they should not have had to pay.

Laurie Stahl, parks director, said it was her recollection that the portion to the north of Route 173 that had been Deercrest wasn't to pay impact fees. She said she thought



Dorothy Larson

that development had given enough property with the promise of improving it for use that it was exempt from paying impact fees.

If impact fees have been collected that should not have been, the village will have to repay that money.

Senior planner George Sakas said his department has very good record keeping and knows exactly what it collected at the time permits were issued. He said about \$550K had been collected from Neumann Homes.

Larson asked, "Does that mean we have only \$150K or \$200K if that money has to be repaid?"

Village administrator Alan Probst said the decision to collect the impact fees was based on the interpretation of the settlement agreement with Neumann Homes. Larson said somebody has to take responsibility. Trustee Barbara Porch noted that the board of directors initially posed the question in June.

Sakas said, "We have detailed documentation of what has been collected, if we have to unravel the Neumann Homes situation."

Upon Trustee Mary Turner's request, Probst and Steele said the village board would be updated at the next meeting, which is scheduled for Dec. 6.

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## Chamber announces nominations

By Julie Murphy  
Staff Reporter

Ballots went out to members of the Antioch Chamber of Commerce and Industry as it is preparing to elect new members to its board of directors.

Each year, three new directors are elected to a three-year term of office. The board is made up of nine directors. Executive director Barbara Porch said, "We only accept nominations of chamber members from chamber members, and each member can-

nominate up to three people."

Porch explained that not everyone nominated ends up on the ballot. "We call those who have been nominated and ask them if they will accept the nomination," she said. "Some people are already busy with other community obligations, and don't feel that they can serve on the board too."

Mike Cascone, Jennifer Evans and Kurt Duehr are the members whose terms expire. All three are eligible for re-election.

If elected, those who do accept the nomination will be expected to

chair one committee, and serve on a second. "We bring a lot of activities to the community over the course of the year," added Porch.

Porch, who has served on the board for about a decade, first as board member and then as executive director, said the Chamber office runs very efficiently, and phone calls for various things are done by the office and not by the individual directors.

Ballots are sent out early in December. New board members take over in January.

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## OUR TOWN

Julie Murphy

## No longer my beat but still my town

It's hard to believe that I've been the staff reporter for the "Antioch News" for well over four years. It's harder still to believe that it will no longer be my charge.

It has been an absolute delight covering Antioch, so much so that I now live here. While I am moving on to a different beat for my job, Antioch will remain my town, because "our town" is the best. Chicago may be the city of big shoulders, but Antioch is the town of big hearts. With very few exceptions, everyone has been open, warm and helpful.

Thank you to all those people who have made working here a pleasure (listed alphabetically and without titles): Bill Ahlers, Nancy Binder, Todd Erickson, Jim Beveridge, Walt Bushle, James and Margaret Cole, Jane Connors-Geddes, Phil Delany, Dennis Downes, Todd Erickson, Pixie and John Eslinger, Chuck Fagan, Nancy Fenton, Mike Haley, Larry Hanson, Tom Hausman, Denny Hockney, Billie Horton, Paul Howard, Brad Ipsen, Laurie Jensen, Karen Kubin, Dorothy Larson, Claude LeMere, Chris Lienhardt, Judy Martini, Wendy Maston, Bob McCarty, Bill Oerly, JoAnn Osmond, Linda Pedersen, Jane Pensala, Scott Pierce, Barbara and Steve Porch, Tom Prince, Mark Ring, Ron Roth, Candi Rowe, Jay Sabatino, Kevin Schouder, Lee Shannon, Marilyn Shlueffug, Roger Shule, Eric Skoog, Claudette Skvarce, Ken and Betty Smouse, Steve Smouse, Wayne Sobczak, Craig Somerville, Laurie Stahl, Matt Tabar, Theresa Tune, Mary and Steve Turner, Linda Veach, Charlie Watkins and Ainsley Wonderling.

Of course, this list doesn't address the many residents who keep in touch whether regularly or occasionally with tips, leads, concerns and items of interest; thank you, too. To anyone I inadvertently missed, my apologies.

Though they are no longer with us, I would be remiss if I did not mention Bob Lindblad and Tim Osmond. There are people who are life-changers, and those men were two of them.

I left Bob Silhan's name off the list intentionally, because I wanted to say an extra word of thanks to him.

My first assignment upon taking this job was to cover a combined planning and zoning board meeting, a topic of which I knew nothing at the time.

It was a different administration then; it was one that encouraged staff to talk with reporters, and Bob was most gracious and patient with me in explaining the jargon and details of planning and zoning so I could make sense of what was happening in the area. He never denied me his time (in the early days I required plenty of it), and for that I will always be grateful. Thank you.

If you have interesting information or anecdotes to submit for "Our Town" call staff reporter Julie Murphy at 847-223-8161, ext. 600 or e-mail, moorfie@ix.netcom.com

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## SCHOOLNEWS

### Santa comes to Grass Lake

Breakfast with Santa will be held on Saturday, Dec. 4 from 8 a.m. -2 p.m. at Grass Lake School to kick off the beginning of the holiday season.

Santa's Secret Shop will be open Dec. 6-10 for students.

### Madrigal Dinner Dec. 11-12

The annual Madrigal Dinner will be held at Antioch Community High School on Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 11-12. The dinner show is held at 1 p.m. and 6 p.m. each day.

For ticket information, call the high school at 847-395-1421.

### School districts share break

Christmas break begins on Monday, Dec. 20 for all of Antioch's school districts. Classes will resume on Monday, Jan. 3, 2005.

### District 36 meetings

Grass Lake School District 36 has board of education meetings on Tuesday nights at 7 p.m.

Meetings are scheduled on the following dates: Dec. 14, Jan. 18, Feb. 15, March 15, April 14, May 17 and June 21.

For more information, call the district at 847-395-1550.

### District 34 meetings

Antioch Community Consolidated District 34 will have regular board of education meetings on the following Tuesdays: Dec. 21, Jan. 18, Feb. 15, March 15, April 19, May 17 and June 21.

For more information, call the district at 847-838-8400.

### District 117 meetings

Community High School District 117 has

determined the board of education meeting dates for the 2004-05 school year.

Upcoming regular meetings will be held on the first and third Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. and will alternate locations between the libraries of Antioch Community High School (ACHS) and Lakes Community High School (LCHS).

There is only one meeting scheduled for December and it will be held on Dec. 9 at 7 p.m. in the ACHS library.

### Millburn school library awards, programs

Millburn School Learning Resource Center has earned the Highsmith/Illinois School Library Media Association (ISLMA) Award for overall excellence as a school library media center.

All Illinois school libraries are eligible for the award, and only one is selected.

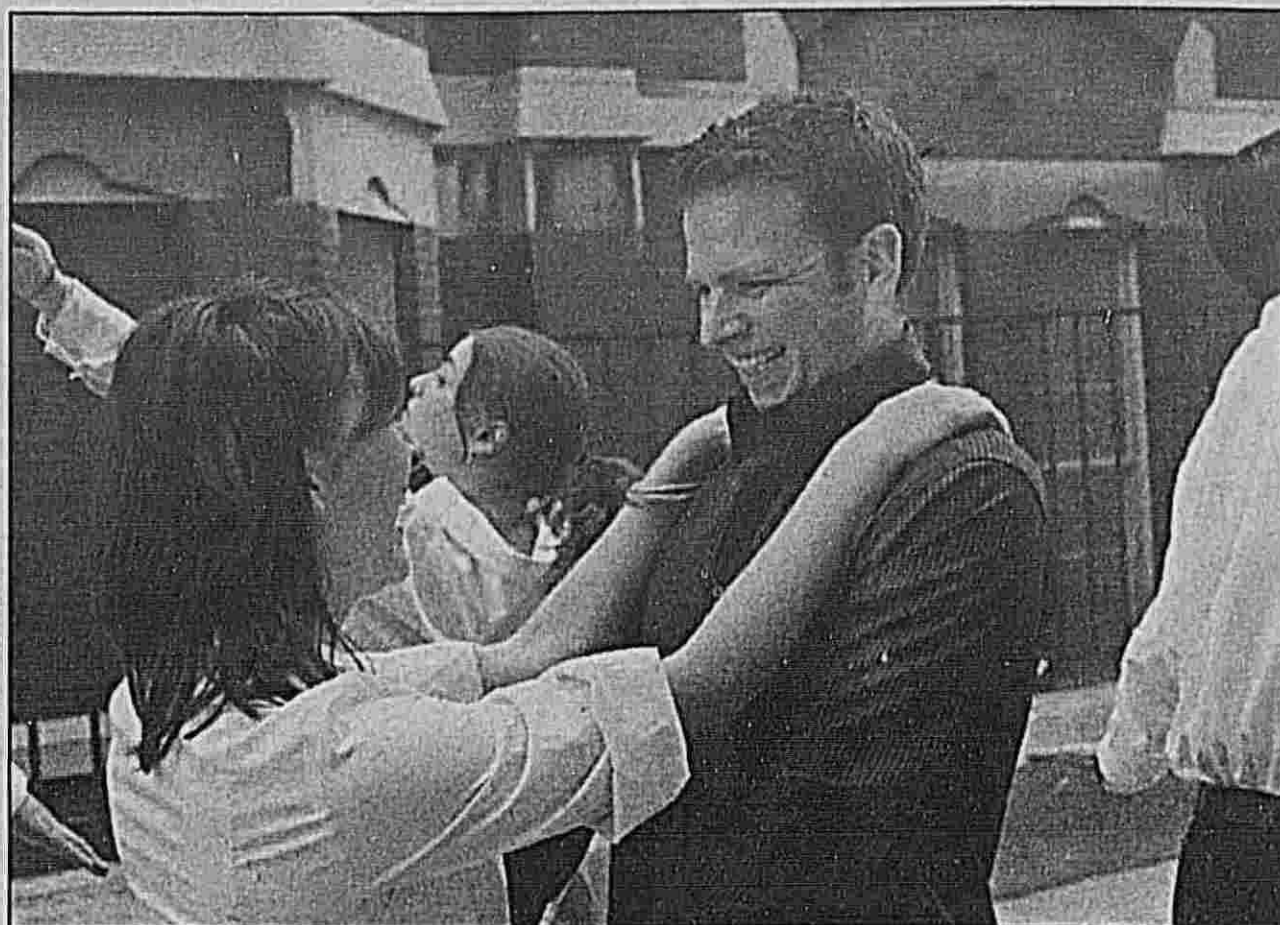
The school received a plaque and \$1,000 cash, which will be used to enhance the library/media center program for the new Millburn School, now under construction.

School librarian Randee Hudson was chosen as one of five librarians from the North Suburban Library System to participate in the Lunar and Planetary Institutes "Explore! Fun with Science" program.

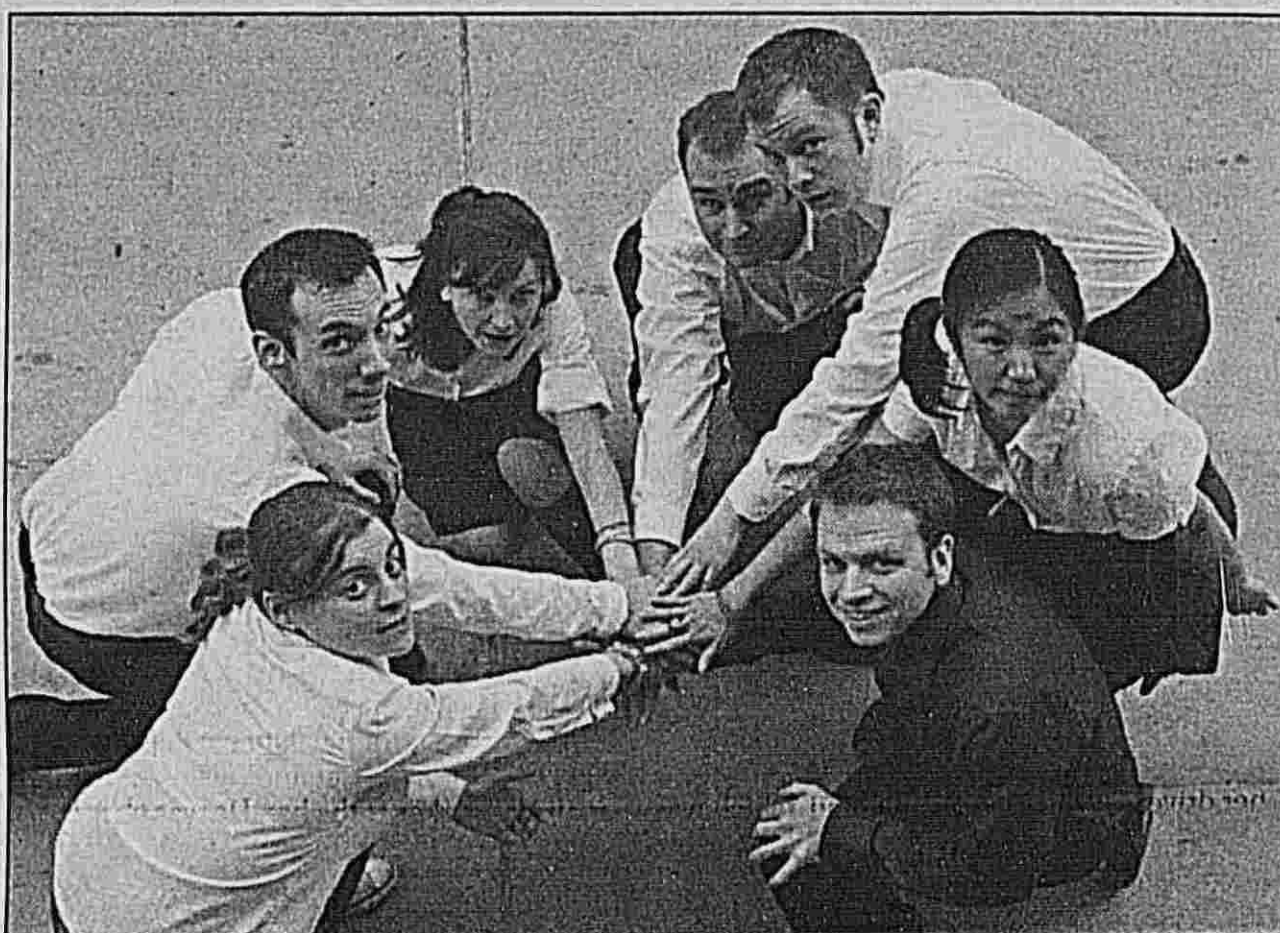
The Millburn School library also received a gift of 20 books from Friends of the Lake Villa District Library. The books are 2004 Monarch Award nominees. The Monarch Award is given annually to an author or illustrator of a book voted the favorite by participating K-3 children in Illinois. Voting will take place in February 2005.

### School tours

The Lake Villa C.C. District 41 school board has been touring the schools at a rate of one each month, beginning with Thompson, in October, and Martin, on Nov. 10. The remaining tours, at 6 p.m. on each date, are Palombi (Dec. 8), Hooper (Jan. 12) and Pleviak (Feb. 23). No official board business is taking place at the time of the tours.



(above and below) Cast members of St. Peter's School production of "Being 11," include: Adam Belcuore, Robyn Coffin, Kyle Harmon, Matt Miller, Nancy Parlapiano, Lauren Pesca, Geoff Rice, Cherise Silvestri, Kimberlee Soo, Cora Vander Broek, Paul Vitulli, Ed Westfall and Tim Simons.



## St. Peter School sets stage

Playwright Courtney Shaughnessy, a 1990 St. Peter School graduate, uses that school as the setting for "Being 11." She is a founding member of Serendipity Theatre Company, which is producing the play that will run Nov. 28 through Dec. 19 at The Athenaeum Theatre in Chicago.

"At 11 years of age, Michael Owens (Shaughnessy's main character) was having a hard time of life. Now, as an adult, he has decided to explore that era of his development, and through a series of interviews with his former classmates, Michael revisits

his childhood experience at St. Peter's School," said Tracie Louise Sellers, press secretary for Serendipity Theatre Company.

Cast members Adam Belcuore, Robyn Coffin, Kyle Harmon, Matt Miller, Nancy Parlapiano, Lauren Pesca, Geoff Rice, Cherise Silvestri, Kimberlee Soo, Cora Vander Broek, Paul Vitulli, Ed Westfall and Tim Simons bring the story to life.

Michael Matthews directs the production. He was Jeff nominated for his direction in the 2004 production of "In The Blood" for Circle Theatre.

Shaughnessy was one of the writers for Serendipity's inaugural production of "A.D.D.: Another Day of Distraction." She is the co-writer of "Chordless," which had its world premiere at the New York Fringe Festival in 2000 and is currently working on "Delores Dogan," a one-woman show.

Shaughnessy has performed at popular theaters in Chicago including the Goodman and the Steppenwolf, as well as overseas at the Edinburgh Festival. She holds a BFA in Theatre from Miami University of Ohio and plans on getting her masters in education.

Previews for "Being 11" begin Nov. 27 at 8 p.m. and continue through Dec. 19. Performances are Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m. There are Saturday matinees at 5 p.m. Sunday matinees are at 2 p.m.

Performances will be held at The Athenaeum Theatre third floor studio, which is located at 2936 N. Southport Ave., Chicago. Tickets are \$10 for previews, \$16 for Thursday and all matinees and \$17 for Friday and Saturday evening performances.

Call 312-902-1500 for tickets, or go online at [www.ticketmaster.com](http://www.ticketmaster.com).

## Come Worship With Us

### A Directory Of Antioch Area Churches

Graceland Baptist Church, 258 Ida St., Antioch, IL. Sunday School 11am., Morning Worship 11am., Sunday Evening 7pm. Robert Williams, Pastor.

First Church of Christ, Scientist & Reading Rm. Rte 173 and Harden, Antioch, Phone (847) 395-1196. Sunday School, Sunday Church Service 10:30am, Wednesday, 7:30pm.

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, worshipping at Antioch/Lake Villa Township Center, 1625 Deep Lake Rd. Pastor Darold Gruen, Phone (847) 265-2450. Sunday Worship at 9am, Sunday School, High School & Adult Bible Classes 10:45am.

Heritage Lutheran Church, Lindenhurst Civic Center, 1949 Old Elm Rd., Lindenhurst, (847) 356-1766. Sunday service 10:00 am, Sunday School & Bible Class 9:00 am. (summer schedule - 9:00 am Sunday) Rev. Mark W. Anderson, Pastor.

St. Ignatius Episcopal, 500 Depot St. Antioch Phone (847) 395-0652. Low Mass 7:30am., High Mass 9:30am Sunday School & Nursery 9:30am. Rev. Vincent Eckholm, Pastor.

Cross View Church (formerly Antioch Evangelical Free Church) 750 Highview Drive, Antioch, IL 847-395-4117. Sunday Worship Services 9:00am and 10:30am Sunday School for all ages (nursery provided) Call for more information.

St. Stephen Lutheran Church (ELCA), 1155 Hillside Ave. Phone (847) 395-3359. Sunday Worship, 8:00, 9:30, 10:45am. Rev. Roger Black, Pastor. Saturday Worship Service 5:00pm

Christian Life Fellowship Assemblies of God Church, 41625 Deep Lake Rd., Antioch, Phone (847) 395-8572. Sunday School (all ages) 9am., Sunday Morning Worship 10am., Children's Church 10am., Sunday Evening Worship 6:30pm., Wednesday Worship & Children's Program 7am., Tues. Women's Fellowship & Bible Study 9-11:30am. Jeff Brussaly, Pastor.

Antioch Baptist Church, 817 Holbeck Dr., Antioch, Phone (847) 769-5332. Sunday Morning Worship 10:15am., Sunday evening Service 6:00pm., Wednesday Bible Study 7:00pm. Pastor Ken Foster.

Faith Evangelical Lutheran, 1275 Main St., Phone (847) 395-1660. Sunday Worship 8 & 10:30am., Sunday School 9:25am., Mon. Worship 7:00pm Pastors Gregory Hermanson & Aaron Christie. Christian Day School (847) 395-1664.

Millburn Congregational United Church of Christ, Grass Lake Rd. at Rte. 45. Phone (847) 356-5237. Sunday Service 10am. Children's Program 10am. Rev. Paul R. Meltzer, Pastor.

Antioch United Methodist Church, 848 Main St., Antioch, Phone (847) 395-1259. Rev. Gary Curl, Pastor. Sunday Worship 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Children's church and Sunday School. Adult Groups at 9:15 a.m. Nursery care for children through 3 years of age from 8 to 11:30 a.m.

St. Peter's Church, 557 W. Lake St., Antioch, Phone (847) 395-0274. Masses weekdays, 7:30am; Sunday 6:30, 8, 9:30, 11:30am & Saturday 5:30pm. Rev. Father Ronald H. Anglim, Pastor.

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# POLICEBEAT

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## ANTIOCH

### Revoked driver's license

Terry R. Robinson, 42, of 38845 N. Gilliam, Lake Villa was arrested on both Nov. 20 and Nov. 21 for driving while revoked.

He was stopped at 3:53 a.m. at the intersection of routes 173 and 59 for crossing the centerline. A check of his identifiers through LEADS/SOS came back with information that his driver's license was revoked.

Robinson was arrested and charged with improper lane usage and driving while revoked, and released on personal recognizance pending court.

The following night at 3:08 a.m. an officer was called to the same area for a possible DUI. The same arresting officer stopped the vehicle under suspicion and recognized Robinson immediately.

Robinson was again arrested and charged with driving while revoked. He was released on personal recognizance pending his Dec. 8 court date.

Wayne A. Carter, 57, of 1332 Cromwell Court, Vernon Hills, was arrested for driving while revoked on Nov. 19 at 3:05 p.m. at the intersection of routes 83 and 173.

He was stopped for driving in the double yellow marked median. Carter told the officer his driver's license was revoked, which was confirmed through LEADS/NCIC/SOS.

Carter was arrested and issued citations for improper lane usage and driving while revoked. He was released on a \$1,000 personal recognizance bond pending his Jan. 12 court date.

### Suspended license/warrant arrest

Tammy R. Glauser, 40, of 627 Parkway, was arrested for driving while suspended and on warrant on Nov. 18 at 7:32 p.m. on Main Street at Poplar.

She was stopped because of an expired registration sticker. Glauser told the officer her driver's license was suspended, which was confirmed with LEADS.

The officer also found that she had a \$100,000 arrest warrant for failure to appear on a possession of a controlled substance charge.

Glauser was arrested and issued citations for having expired Illinois registration and for driving while suspended. She was released on personal recognizance for those charges pending her Dec. 22 court date. She was then transported to the Lake County Jail for the warrant.

## LAKE VILLA

### Domestic battery

Isaías J. Rodriguez, 27, of 5520 W. Cortez, Chicago, was arrested by Lake Villa Police on Nov. 17, at 9:13 p.m., while driving southbound on Cedar Lake Road at Eagle Creek. Police located the man by the description of his car, a 2002 maroon Chevy Impala. Police were given the description in a report of a domestic dispute in progress at 103 Cedar Ave. The alleged offender left the premises in the Impala, after reportedly pushing and grabbing the arm of a 24-year-old woman. When stopped by police, the man produced a traffic ticket instead of a driver's license. He said he knew his ex-girlfriend had called police. He was charged with domestic battery and driving with a suspended license. He was turned over to Lake County Jail.

### Disorderly conduct

Raymond E. Speck, 46, of 1002 Rainy Lake Court, Lake Villa, was arrested by Lake Villa Police on Nov. 14, at 7:15 p.m., after leaving the Paradise Found Tavern at 1701 N. Milwaukee Ave. Police were called to the bar on a complaint of criminal damage to property, and were advised the offender was southbound on Route 83, heading towards 3-Phase Electric at 461 Park Ave. Police located the man, driving a white Dodge Durango. He admitted cutting the tire of his wife's truck, but because he owns the truck, he was not charged with criminal damage to property. He allegedly was angry at finding his wife with a male co-worker at the bar. He was charged with disorderly conduct, and released pending an appearance in Grayslake Branch III court, on Jan. 12, at 3 p.m.

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### Suspicious circumstances

A resident of Charleton Road, Lake Villa, reported to police that on two occasions, Nov. 14 and 18, two Firestone tires were left on his doorstep. The resident said that each time, the doorbell had rung but no one was there. It is no known who left the tires, or for what reason.

A resident of Eaton Lane, Lake Villa, reported to police on Nov. 6, at 10:54 p.m., that a bag was burning on the front cement entry. The female complainant said she saw four figures in black clothing running from her home. Police found a paper bag containing burned excrement.

## LINDENHURST

### Theft from motor vehicle

On Nov. 15, a resident of Glenayre Drive reported a theft from his vehicle. The man told police that on Nov. 3, at 8 p.m., he went out to his 2003 Land Rover to retrieve a palm pilot. He forgot to lock the car door. On Nov. 4, at 6 a.m., he noticed his black leather Tumi backpack briefcase was missing from the car. The briefcase was valued at about \$250. Inside the briefcase were a Tumi travel wallet, valued at \$75; a Sanyo cell phone charger, valued at \$10; a Keyspan presentation computer remote, valued at \$75; paperwork and a passport. There are no suspects.

### Driving with a suspended license

Luis Emmanuel Godinez-Sanchez, of 7007 W. 19th St., Berwyn, was arrested by Lindenhurst Police on Nov. 20, at 4:52 p.m., while driving a 1995 gold-colored Oldsmobile Aurora on Route 132 west of Lindenhurst Drive. He was charged with driving without front license plates and driving with a suspended license. HE was released on a \$1,000 I-bond, pending an appearance in Grayslake Branch III court, on Jan. 5, at 10:30 a.m.

## DUI ARRESTS

The following people have been arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs

**Lona J. Bachochin**, 35, of 42305 N. Elm, was arrested for DUI on Nov. 20 at 1:58 a.m. on Route 173 at Talman. She was stopped for crossing the centerline and driving on the shoulder.

Bachochin failed all field sobriety tests and a portable breath test revealed .165 blood alcohol concentration. She was arrested and issued citations for DUI, operating left of center, improper lane usage and having an obstructed windshield. She was released on personal recognizance pending court.

**Scott W. Klinesmith**, 25, of 411 Northgate, Lindenhurst, was arrested for DUI on Nov. 19 at 1:06 a.m. on Route 173 at Lincoln. He was stopped after police saw him cross the centerline, drive on the shoulder, and was paced traveling 51 mph in a 40-mph zone. Klinesmith failed all field sobriety tests requested of him, and a portable breath test revealed .137 blood alcohol concentration.

Klinesmith was arrested and issued citations for operating left of center, improper lane usage, speeding and DUI. A Breathalyzer test came back with a .18 blood alcohol concentration and he was issued an additional citation for DUI over .08.

Klinesmith was released on personal recognizance pending court.

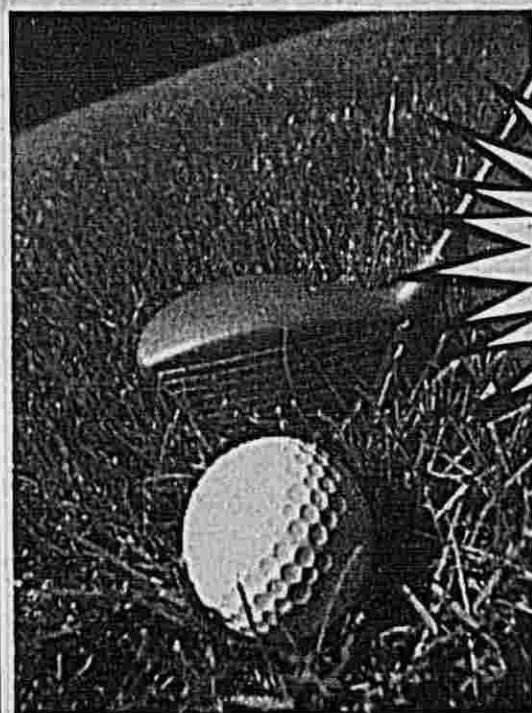
**Daniel E. Zaltz**, 20, of 30807 114th St., Wilmot, was arrested for DUI on Nov. 18 at 1:06 a.m. at the intersection of routes 173 and 59. He was stopped for not signaling a turn and for entering the opposite lane of traffic upon turning. Zaltz failed all field sobriety tests.

Zaltz was arrested and issued citations for DUI and minor consumption of alcohol. During inventory for tow, a ceramic smoking pipe was found with burnt cannabis residue.

A Breathalyzer test came back with a .188 blood alcohol concentration, and Zaltz was issued additional citations for DUI over .08, failure to signal, improper lane usage, improper turn and unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia. He was released on personal recognizance pending court.

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## LOCAL

### Musical 'Honk!'s

A musical comedy based on the story of "The Ugly Duckling" called "Honk!" has been selected as the holiday show for the PM&L Theatre, with opening night scheduled for Friday, Nov. 26.

Mark Badtke, of Genoa City, Wis., is directing the production. Paul Beadow of Kenosha, Wis., is responsible for music direction with choreography by Courtney Willding, of Ingleside.

Steve Willding, of Lindenhurst, is stage manager. Actors come from Antioch, Lindenhurst, Ingleside, Hainsville, Round Lake Beach, Fox Lake, Grayslake, Woodstock, Gurnee as well as Wisconsin towns of Bristol, Pleasant Prairie and Kenosha.

Show times are at 8 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays and at 2:30 p.m. on Sundays. The show runs weekends through Dec. 12.

Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$12 for students and seniors. Reservations can be made beginning Nov. 15 by calling 847-395-3055.

### Take pounds off

TOPS (take pounds off sensibly) meets every Wednesday at the Antioch Senior Center. Weigh-ins begin at 6:30 p.m., and the meetings begin at 7 p.m. For more information call 847-395-6443 or 847-395-8143.

The Antioch Senior Center is located at 817 Holbek Dr., behind the fire station.

## ANTIOCH PUBLIC LIBRARY

### Holiday closings announced

The Antioch Public Library District will be closed several days because of the holidays.

The library will be closed for the entire day on Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year's Eve and New Year's Day.

### Drop in crafts scheduled

Drop-in crafts can keep children's hands busy in upcoming weeks at the Antioch Public Library District.

On Wednesday, Dec. 8 at 6 p.m., children are invited to make a Christmas ornament.

Seating is limited to 10, and given on a first-come first-served basis.

Registration will be required for the winter-themed craft on Monday, Dec. 20 at 2 p.m.

For more information or registration, call the library at 847-395-0874.

### Computer classes offered

The Antioch Public Library District offers several computer classes for adults to teach everything from basic mouse skills to creating and formatting documents in Microsoft Word.

For more information about the classes, upcoming sessions and to reserve seating, call the reference desk at 847-395-0874.

### Teen movie Dec. 23

"Cinderella Story" will be playing on the Antioch Public Library District's big wall screen on Thursday, Dec. 23 at 7 p.m. The movie is intended for a teenage audience.

For more information, call the library at 847-395-0874.

### Puppet show Dec. 11

The Antioch Public Library District invites children to watch the puppet show of "A Christmas Carol" on Saturday, Dec. 11 at 1 p.m. For more information, call the library at 847-395-0874.

### Friends sell holiday items

The Friends of the Antioch Public Library District will be selling various holiday items outside its store on weekends between Thanksgiving and Christmas.

The store is located inside the main entrance of the library.

### Walleye tournament volunteers sought

Many volunteers will be necessary in April 2005 with the villages of Antioch and Fox Lake host the PWT National Walleye Tournament.

Those interested in volunteering should call Billie Horton, special events coordinator for the Village of Antioch, at 847-395-6342. Kiwanis hold Tuesday meetings.

Antioch Kiwanis meet on the first and third Tuesday of each month at the Double Eagle Restaurant on Route 59 and Lake Street at noon for a one-hour meeting.

Kiwanis is an international service organization that strives to meet the needs of its communities and address world issues by "serving the children of the world." For more information, call 847-838-6500 or 847-395-7385.

## PARK DISTRICT

### Parks offers fall classes

The following classes have been announced for fall. Please call the Parks Department office at 847-395-2160 for more information or stop by, 806 Holbek Dr., for a detailed brochure.

### Little Feet Steppin' Out

This class is offered as an alternative to preschool or for the child who will be starting a preschool program in the future. It gives the child who is ready to graduate from the Parent/Tot classes a little taste of being away from their caregivers in a time frame that enables them to adjust to separation. This class will include free play, arts and crafts, songs and stories. There are six four-week sessions and two instructors.

Children must be 3 years old by first day of class and toilet trained (no pull ups). Class is held on Mondays from 1-2:30 p.m. at the Parks Department building.

### Time for Me Two

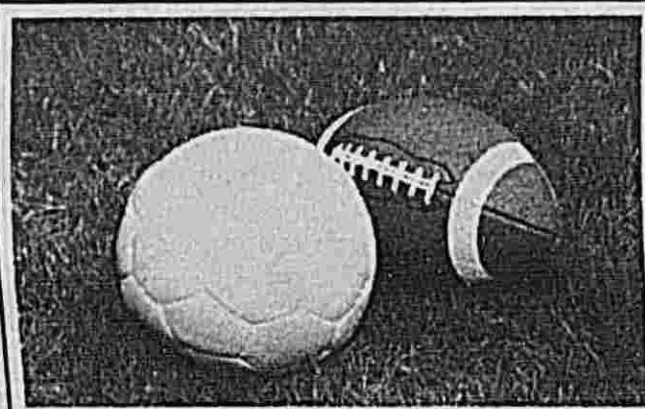
This class is a unique experience between a parent/guardian and child ages 2 and 3. Classes are 90 minutes, once a week on Friday.

In class children experience many age appropriate activities in motor development, language, music, art and social/playtime.

A parent or other significant caregiver must attend with the child. There are three eight-week sessions and one final session of six weeks. Limited to 10 couples.

### Shotokan Karate

Many Shotokan Karate classes are available for children beginning at age 3 up through adults. Classes offered: Lil' Dragons (3-5 years), Lil' Tigers (5-8 years), Beginner/Intermediate 1 & 2, Advanced Mixed, Adult Beginner / Intermediate / Class, Beginning Kobudo, Strength & Conditioning Class, Advanced Kata Class, Tournament Training and Cardio-Kickboxing. All classes held at the Parks Building at 806 Holbek Dr. Please call 847-395-2160 or 847-395-5424 or more information.



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*I have a husband of 15 years  
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**Community involvement:**

*I currently work for the village at  
Camp Crayon, and have been PTO  
president for two years at  
Hillcrest Elementary*

**What I like best about my town:**

*I like running into people  
I know almost everywhere*

**Hobbies:**

*I have a jewelry business  
and I love to scrapbook*

**Favorite movie:**

*"The Usual Suspects"*

**Favorite album/CD:**

*"Nothing Like the Sun" by Sting*

**Best local restaurant:**

*Definitely Dunkin' Donuts*

**Favorite home-cooked meal:**

*Steak on the grill*

**People I admire most:**

*Those who help out children without  
trying to get something out of it*

**If I had \$1 million, I would:**

*Be rich*

**If I had a plane ticket  
anywhere, I'd go to:**

*Greece*

**My pet peeve is:**

*What isn't my pet peeve?*

**If I had one wish, it would be:**

*For children to be safe  
from predators, divorce, etc.*

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*At Sea-World swimming  
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## BIRTHS

**Sophia Rhiannon Bright**, a daughter, was born Oct. 14 at Lake Forest Hospital to Scott and Andrea Bright of Grayslake. Her sister is Madison, age 8. Grandparents are Sandra Johnson of Grayslake and Bob and Karen Bright of Oconomowoc, Wis.

**Kenneth D. Pate III**, a son, was born Sept. 20 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Joy Schaefer and Kenn Pate of Grayslake. His sister is Savana, age 3. Grandparents are Bob and Joyce Schaefer of Grayslake and Dane and Mary Pate of Shawano, Wis.

**Charles Albert Leidlich IV (Dutch)**, was born Oct. 15 at Lake Forest Hospital to Charles and Kasemsri Leidlich. His sister is Madeow, age 10. Grandparents are Sondra and Harry George of Wichita, Kan. and Amon and Pichet Karutpasuk of Thailand.

**Micah Timothy Stanphill**, a son, was born Oct. 15 at Lake Forest Hospital to Tim and Jenni Stanphill. Grandparents are Tim and Geneva Stanphill of Winthrop Harbor and Paul and Jan Williams of Wadsworth.

**Connor Lee Hillner**, a son, was born Sept. 21 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Dan and Jacquelyn Hillner of Lindenhurst. Grandparents are Keith and Susan Johnson of Park Ridge and Dale and Faye Hillner of Eagle River, Wis.

**Kerttu Keldyn Jakobson**, a daughter, was born Sept. 22 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Maila Mansberg and Alder Jakobson of Wauconda.

**Sylvia Gale Plucinski**, a daughter, was born Sept. 14 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Joseph and Lisa Plucinski of Round Lake. Her siblings are Anthony 6, Frank 4 and Casimir, 1. Grandparents are Iva Olcott of Spring Grove and Joe and Nola Plucinski of Mundelein. Great grandparent is Florence Kruckenberg of Tennessee.

**Owen Nicholas Berrong**, a son, was born Sept. 10 at Lake Forest Hospital to Ami and Russell Berrong of Gurnee. His brother is Ethan, age 2. Grandparents are Carol and Terry Berrong of Winthrop Harbor and Ginny Kukla of Waukegan.

**Jasmine Alexandra Segovia**, a daughter, was born Sept. 16 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Marbely Noyola and Julio Segovia of Waukegan. Her siblings are JuLissa Segovia age 6 and Julian, 2. Grandparents are Antonio and Blanca Calderon of Waukegan and Raul and Sara Segovia of Waukegan.

**Kelly Michelle and Bridget Elizabeth McCloud**, twins were born Sept. 8 at Lake Forest Hospital to Kristina and Robert McCloud of Gurnee. Their siblings are Keegan, 1 and Sarah, age 3. Grandparents are Georgia and Joe McCloud of Beach Park and Jean and Mike Hichborn of Bellevue, Neb.

**Christopher Todd Lewis**, a son, was born Sept. 20 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Todd and Kirstin Lewis of Grayslake. His sister is Maggie, age 19 months. Grandparents are Robert and Patricia Grumstrup of Libertyville; Shirley Samani of Vernon Hills; James and Shelley Lewis of Geneva and Margaret Jean Lewis of Elizabethtown, Ky. Great grandparent is Helen Glinski of Vernon Hills.

## CALENDAR

## Friday, November 26

"Honk!" opens at the PM&L Theatre is a musical, updated version of "The Ugly Duckling." Nov. 26-Dec. 12. Call 847-395-3055 or go to [www.pmltheatre.com](http://www.pmltheatre.com) to reserve tickets.

1-4 p.m., Bridal Shopping Explosion, bridal gowns starting at \$99. Fri.-Sat., Nov. 26-27. Free admission and refreshments. Held at Brae Loch Banquets by Parkway, 33600 N. U.S. Rt. 45, Grayslake. Call 847-223-8161 or 847-363-4090 for details.

7:30-8:30 a.m., Business Networking Group meets at Centre Lights Cafe next to Condell, Libertyville. Call Dan at 847-803-9904 during business hours.

## Saturday, November 27

8:30 a.m., Singles Breakfast Group meets at In-Laws, Gurnee. Call Chuck at 847-362-5458.

## Sunday, November 28

7-9 p.m., Open gym Sundays at Antioch Community High School, cost \$2, adults only

7:30 p.m., Lake County Singles meet at Dover Straits in Mundelein. \$7 fee includes buffet, speed dating & music. Call hotline 847-604-1840 or visit [www.lakecountysingles.net](http://www.lakecountysingles.net) for information.

1:45-3:45, Widowed Outreach Network of Lake Co., a group for all ages, meets at Allen Conference Center, 700 Garfield, Libertyville. Meet other men and women on the path to recovery from grief. Call 847-990-5275 or 847-367-0087 for details.

4 p.m., The Writers' Group, a "just for fun" group meets in Libertyville to critique and share varied writing activities (Short stories, memoirs, children's stories). Free. Katherine Browning, 603 Nordic Ct., Libertyville, IL 60048. Novices welcomed. If interested, leave message at 847-362-7152.

## Monday, November 29

7:30 p.m., Antioch Jaycees meets last Mondays at Regency Inn, call 847-395-8035

12:45 p.m., Bingo held Mondays at The Antioch Senior Center. Call 847-395-7120 for details.

7-9 p.m., Lakes Area Community Band rehearses at ACHS. Call Debbie Davis at 847-395-0272 for info.

## Tuesday, November 30

6-8 p.m., Bariatric Treatment Centers hosts a dance & exercise class at Antioch Senior Center, 817 Holbeck Dr. Call Karen at 847-395-6244 for details.

Noon, Kiwanis Club of Antioch meets at the Double Eagle Restaurant. Please call Melissa at 847-489-8044 for more information.

6:45 p.m., Bingo Tuesdays, Antioch VFW, doors open 4:30 p.m. Call 847-395-5393 for more info.

7-8 p.m., Weigh to Win program held at Calvary Christian Center, Monaville Rd. Call 847-356-6181

## Wednesday, December 1

7 p.m., "Writing It Out: Self-Awareness and Self-Help Through Journaling" with Lisa Schab at the Antioch Public Library, 757 N. Main St. Reservations required. Please call 847-395-0874.

6:30 p.m., TOPS weigh-in; 7 p.m. meeting at Antioch Senior Center, 817 Holbeck Dr. Call 847-395-6443 or 847-395-8143 for information.

7-8:30 p.m., A Safe Place/Lake County Crisis offers free support groups for female victims of physical, emotional or psychological abuse. 847-249-4450

7 p.m., Northern Lake County Quilter's Guild meets at Millburn Church (Rt. 45 & Grass Lake Rd.). Call Madelyn at 847-587-4599 for details.

## Thursday, December 2

11 a.m., LV Twp. AARP Chapter #3978 board meets first Thursdays at Twp. Offices Community Room.

7:15 a.m., Business Network International meets in Grayslake. Call Craig at 847-840-6464.

7:45 a.m. Lake County Networkers group meets in Mundelein. Call Jeanne Silver 847-367-1500 or Mike Steinberger 847-367-5475.

7 p.m., American Sewing Guild group, "Running in Stitches," meets first Thursdays. Please call Janet at 265-7932 or Chris at 847-548-8223

7 p.m., The Lakes Area Artisans chapter of the Stencil Artisans League meets locally. Call Carol 847-223-5155 to learn more.

## Friday, December 3

7-9 p.m., Divorced or separated support group, free childcare, held at Calvary Christian Center, 134 Monaville Rd., Lake Villa. Call 847-356-6181.

## Saturday, December 4

8:30 a.m., Singles Breakfast Group (see Nov. 27).

## Coming Soon

Dec. 5, Sun., "Hans Brinker's Christmas" at College of Lake Co. Auditorium C005-2 and 4 p.m. Call 847-543-2300 for tickets.

## Honor students of Grass Lake School

The following junior high students at Grass Lake School have made the honor roll for the fall quarter.

## Grade 6

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## Grade 7

Charles Bryan, Nikki Davantes, Brandon Ginter, Nicole Giorgi, Andrew Green, Nicole

Krause, Callie Pappas, Kati Quinnett, Samie Seamon, Davean Watley.

## Grade 8

Ashley Belcher, Karlee Bieganowski, Sonya Bischoffer, Kali Browning, Karina Contrera, Justin Cook, Gina Costillo, Callie Ewing, Erika Gilliland, Joe Gliniewicz, Lindsay Haling, Shelby Kickert, Josh Lewis, Cody Mathias, Brianna Mehl, Courtney Morrison, Zack Morrison, Ashley Okresik, Megan Quirk, Cory Schuardt, Taylor Vaughn.

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## Giving Thanks



Mom, Jen Doty, and Grandma, Romona Delap works to seat Dylan Doty, 2, into a high chair as they get ready for the Marine Corps Family Thanksgiving Dinner. The Marine Corps League of Lake County prepared Thanksgiving feasts for marine families who had loved ones serving in Iraq.— **Photo by John Dickson**

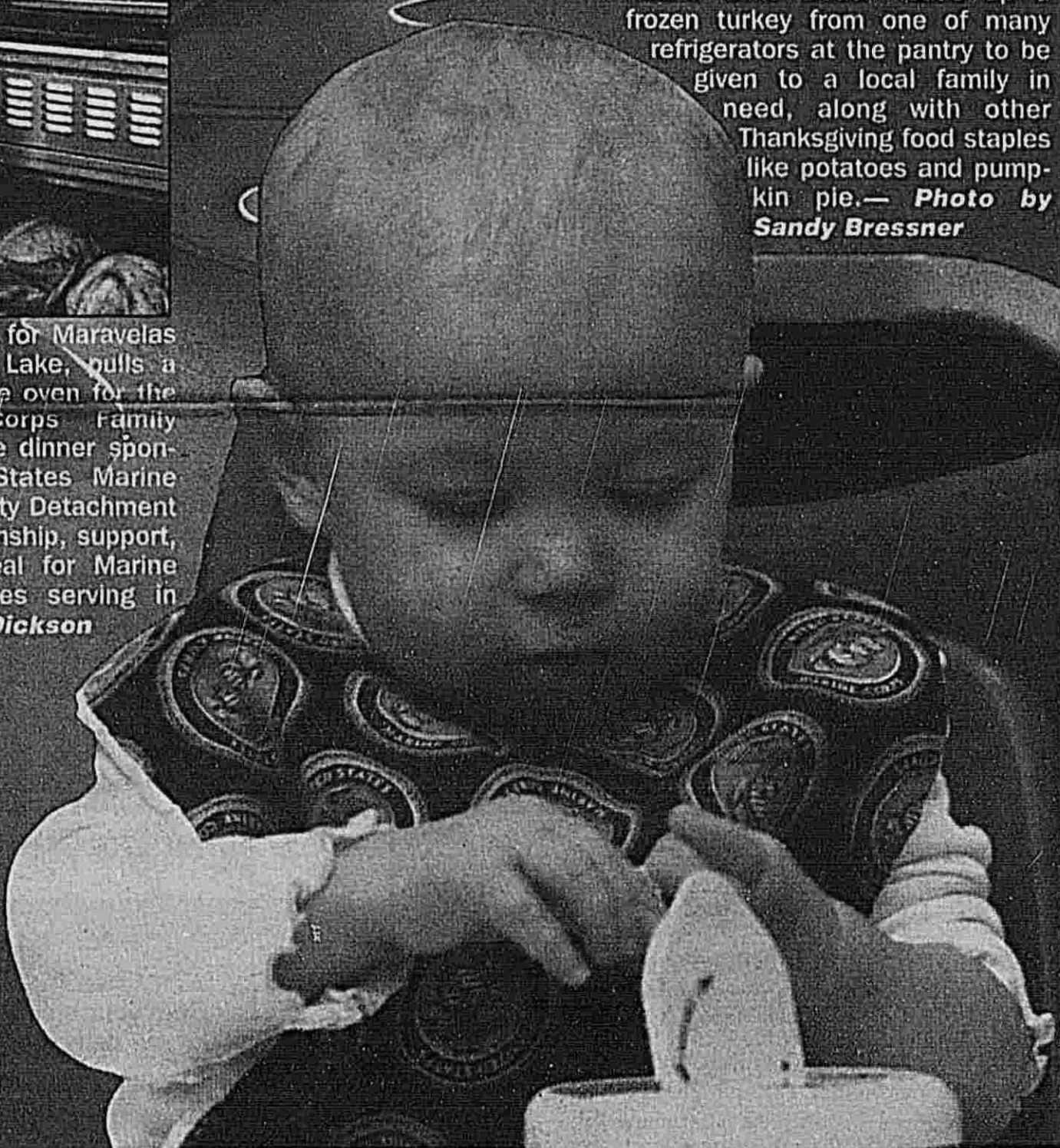


Adolfo Martinez, a cook for Maravillas Banquet facility in Fox Lake, pulls a roasted turkey out of the oven for the Operation: Marine Corps Family Thanksgiving Dinner. The dinner sponsored by the United States Marine Corps League Lake County Detachment 801, provided companionship, support, and a Thanksgiving meal for Marine families with loved ones serving in Iraq.— **Photo by John Dickson**



While waiting for their thanksgiving feast Zach Woodham, 4, giggles and hides behind a napkin held up by his friend Steven Miller, 5, as they play to pass the time until dinner. The boys were waiting for the Marine Corps Family Thanksgiving Dinner sponsored by the United States Marine Corps League of Lake County for families of marines on active duty.— **Photo by John Dickson**

Jemma Lruell, 1, wears her US Marine bib supporting her dad, First Sgt. Timothy Kruell, who is serving in Iraq, as she munches on cereal before the thanksgiving feast. Families of Marines actively on duty in Iraq from Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin gathered at Maravillas Banquet facility in Fox Lake to enjoy a Thanksgiving dinner sponsored by the United States Marine Corps League Lake County Detachment 801.— **Photo by John Dickson**



Avon Township Food Pantry volunteer Frankie Vittitow of Round Lake Beach loads up a frozen turkey from one of many refrigerators at the pantry to be given to a local family in need, along with other Thanksgiving food staples like potatoes and pumpkin pie.— **Photo by Sandy Bressner**

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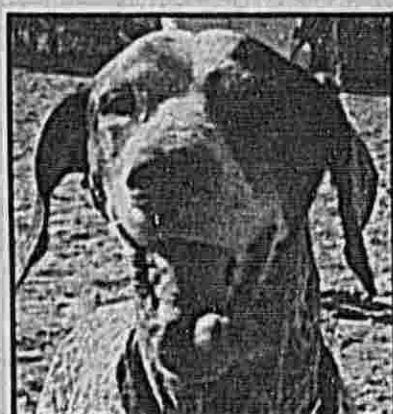
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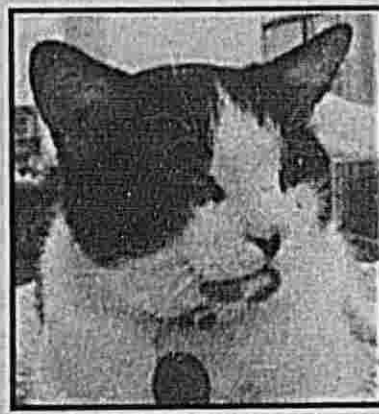
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**Shiloh**

## All smiles

Shiloh, aka Alber, a 10-year-old German shorthair pointer will really be all smiles when someone brings him home. Pam Meland, of Save-A-Pet, said he is very smart, good with children and housebroken. "Despite his age, he'll play ball all day and would love a home with someone who likes to play as much as he does," Meland said.



**Dotto**

## Purrs like a Harley

To say that Dotto purrs like a Harley is to say that this 5-year-old male cat has a loud motor. He's mellow and well socialized now, but Becky Carlen, of Save-A-Pet said it was a different story when he came to the shelter. She said, "His owner died, and he was very scared when he first came. He was pretty much untouchable, but now he's quiet and loves attention." Given his mellow demeanor, he would fit in better with older children and adults.



**Kimmie**

## Always the bridesmaid

Kimmie, a six-year-old Amstaff, is always the bridesmaid and never the bride. Though she is spayed, in good health and update on all her vaccinations, she's been at the Save-A-Pet (SAP) Adoption Center since January 2003. Pam Meland, of SAP, said, "We always take her to off-site functions. Her reports say she's very well behaved and friendly to all people. She kisses the puppies through the pen."



**Chicklet**

## Play date

Chicklet, a 1-year-old light calico, is looking for a play date. Save-A-Pet's feline friend Sabrina Luchek said this energetic kitty plays well with older children and is very sweet. "She's in good health, and will make a nice pet for someone," she said.



**Hera**

## Looking forward

Hera, an 8-year-old female, Airdale mix is looking forward: looking forward to happier times and a new home. Pam Meland, of Save-A-Pet, said Hera essentially needs knee surgery (paid by SAP) and that she could use either a foster home for recovery or, better yet, a permanent home. She's housebroken, clean and has lived with children, a small dog and a cat. "She was very sad, very depressed, when she got here," Meland said.



**Yarro**

## Hidingout

Yarro, a 1-year-old male yellow tabby, is a talkative people kitty. He likes other cats, but Becky Carlen, of Save-A-Pet said he's not too interested in dogs. She said, "He was a stray, but he was fostered in a private home before coming here," she said. "He really likes to lay in people's laps, and isn't touchy about being picked up. He's very sweet."

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## Life gets better all the time

**M**y name is Jeff Zachary, and I am campaigning for columnist of the year, and I approved this column.

And I approve of the state, federal and local election results of Nov. 2.

And I approve of the fact that a pro-life president won his second term for president by more than three million popular votes.

And I approve that the Republican Party which has so many pro-life members now controls both the House of Representatives and the Senate.

Now, hopefully, when the opportunity arises, President George Bush will appoint a Supreme Court Judge who knows how to interpret the laws of this great country and knows how to interpret our great constitution and who will vote for the rights of all unborn babies to be born.

And yes, maybe someday, the erroneous ruling of Roe versus Wade in 1973, which allowed abortions on demand, will be overturned and abortion will no longer be viewed as an acceptable means of birth control.

With a three million-vote victory margin, I honestly believe that President Bush has been given a mandate to promote his pro-life agenda.

And while we are talking about the election, it sure was great to see that state after state all rejected the notion that gays and lesbians should be allowed to get married.

For too long this country has been listening to the very loud pro-choice people and pro gay and lesbian lobby push their agenda even though they are in the minority of the people.

Unfortunately, the majority of people who believe that abortion is wrong and that marriage is between a man and a woman are in what I call the silent majority.

But with the election results in, I am beginning to sense that the silent majority is starting to speak up and there is going to be a shift back to good old fashioned values in this country.

And why not?

What is wrong with treating each other with respect?

And what is wrong with following the Ten Commandments and not committing adultery?

And what is wrong with not stealing from each other, or not killing each other?

And what is wrong with trying to love our neighbors as much as we love ourselves?

And what is wrong with all of us trying a little experiment and start to treat each other the way we would like to be treated?

We can call it the "Golden Rule" for lack of a better name.

And for the next few years, at least up until the next election, let us treat each other with respect and see if the world doesn't improve.

My name is Jeff Zachary, and I approved this column—even if you don't.

E-mail Jeff: jzachary@lakelandmedia.com



Jeff Zachary  
**FROM A TO ZACHARY**



## Bridal shopping explosion over Thanksgiving weekend

The 2004 Bridal Shopping Explosion presents a day filled with food and cake samples, holiday and bridal party gift ideas plus many resources for planning your future wedding on Nov. 26-27 from 1-4 p.m. at the Brae Loch Country Club. This new first-time event will be your way save big on your wedding day. Bring along your family members and share the experience while they are out holiday shopping. This event promises to be a great time for moms and daughters in planning that special day!

Many couples are recently engaged and thinking of breaking the news to the families over the upcoming holidays. Bridal shows are the perfect way for couples to research together and plan their big day plus find ultimate deals that can help their pocketbook. Check out many options for your perfect day including gowns, photographers, venues, flowers, jewelry, cosmetics and much more! Register to win fabulous prizes while you are there and meet the wedding experts up close and personal.

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Explosion to take a look at a variety of clearance specials including wedding gowns and flower girl dresses. Kimberly's Bridal Boutique will be displaying a special selection of marked down bridal gowns starting at \$99 and bridesmaids and formal dresses from \$20-\$50! Cloud 9 Bridal will also have flower girl dresses for you to choose from as low as \$65! No bride can afford to miss out on these savings. The Brae Loch Country Club is conveniently located just north of the Lake County Fairgrounds on Route 45.

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## A presidential pardon

**P**ardon me, but whatever happened to good old-fashioned civility, especially when it's time to give all due respect to a newly re-elected President?

For example, here's a little gem I uncovered (and have heavily edited) among published letters to a former incoming President:

**Nov. 25: Dear Mr. President,**

*...damn your old Hellfired soul to hell. Damn your God. Damn your family and damn your friends. Damn their souls and damn their God too. And damn your friends' families!*

Will Oblige,  
Pete Muggins



Leslie Clazier-Werner  
**LES ON LIFE**

Could politicians themselves be to blame for some of their constituent's poor manners? After all, during the recent Presidential campaign, candidates scraped the dirt playing limbo under an ever-descending bar of unfounded accusations and name-calling. So too, the recipient of the letter above endured pet names from his political opponents like, "buffoon," "butcher," "imbecile," and "gorilla," while also being lauded as "shallow, dazed and utterly foolish" with "no education."

And before that, this same president basked in political "adulation" while debating a popular Democratic opponent during an unsuccessful Senate race. His adversary smugly noted that the backwoods Republican candidate had "tried everything and had always failed," from "farming," "teaching," "law," to even having "sold liquor in a saloon." But the soon-to-be president was quick on the uptake, responding with, "He says that I sold liquor over the counter. But he forgot to tell you that while I was on one side of the counter, (he) was always on the other."

Also, doesn't it seem like politicians are increasingly enjoying eating their own? Case in point, the above president's own Cabinet openly criticized him. For one, the Secretary of War took to calling the Commander in Chief "a low, cunning clown." And when a furious visitor approached this President with news that the Secretary also considered his boss to be "a damned fool", the president jokingly responded, "then I probably am one, for the Secretary is usually right."

So I guess we shouldn't be surprised at the lack of civility in our recent elections. After all, the President with the fan mail above compared running for office to being "tared and feathered by neighbors, then ridden out of town on a rail." So too, President Bush should take comfort that the political put-downs he's received will also end up as mere footnotes in history...that is, if he keeps his promise to unify us as "one country, one Constitution, one future." And, in keeping this promise, perhaps Bush can embrace as his own the words spoken by our other president...the "buffoon" who proclaimed, "a house divided against itself cannot stand" — Abraham Lincoln.

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# Flavors

## Chocolate, the divine indulgence, takes spotlight in two new books



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### COOKING BY THE BOOK

Chocoholics are in seventh heaven, rejoicing over two new cookbooks on their favorite food group.

Both "Luscious Chocolate Desserts" (Chronicle, 2004) by Lori Longbotham and "The Great Book of Chocolate" (Ten Speed Press, 2004) by David Lebovitz are filled with chocolate lore and taste-tempting recipes. It's all there, from cakes and pies to mousses and parfaits, not to mention cookies, scones, souffles and ice cream.

"Chocolate Pecan Turtle Tart," from Longbotham's book, is a particularly indulgent company treat. It entails a few steps, but the effort is sensational. Don't even try to count the calories.

#### Chocolate Pecan Turtle Tart (Crust)

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2 Tbl. sugar

1/4 tsp. salt

1/2 cup (1 stick) cold unsalted butter, cut into small pieces

2 to 3 Tbl. ice water

• To make the crust: Whisk together the flour, cocoa, sugar and salt in a medium bowl. • Cut in the butter with a pastry blender or 2 knives used scissors-fashion until this butter is the size of small peas. • Sprinkle 1 tablespoon of the water over the flour mixture, stirring gently with a fork to distribute the moisture evenly. • Continue adding water until the dough just begins to come together when a small bit is pressed between your fingers; do not overwork the dough. • Press the dough together to form a ball and knead slightly. • Shape into a disk and chill, wrapped in waxed paper, for at least 30 minutes, or up to 2 days. • Position a rack in the middle of the oven and preheat the oven to 425° degrees F. Have a 9-inch fluted tart pan with a removable bottom ready. • Roll out the dough between 2 sheets of waxed paper to a 12 1/2-inch round. • Peel off the top sheet of waxed paper. • Transfer the dough to the tart pan, paper-side up, and gently press this pastry against the bottom and sides; peel off the paper. • Line the shell with a piece of heavy-duty aluminum foil, pressing it snugly into the bottom and against the sides of the shell, and fill with uncooked rice or beans. • Bake the shell for 15 minutes. • Remove the foil and the rice and bake for 8 minutes longer, or until lightly browned. • Let cool to room temperature on a wire rack.

Serves  
10 to 12

#### Chocolate Pecan Turtle Tart (Filling)

##### Filling:

2 cups heavy (whipping) cream  
3 1/2 oz. bittersweet or semisweet chocolate, finely chopped  
1/4 tsp. pure vanilla extract

2 1/4 cups sugar

3/4 cup water

1 1/2 Tbl. light corn syrup

1 1/4 cups toasted pecan halves, plus 8 toasted pecan halves for garnish

• To make filling: Bring 3/4 cup of the cream just to a boil in a medium saucepan over medium-high heat. • Remove the pan from the heat, add the chocolate and whisk until smooth. • Let cool to room temperature, then whisk in the vanilla. • Refrigerate, covered, for 1 hour, or until cold. • Meanwhile, bring the sugar, water and corn syrup to a boil in a medium heavy saucepan over medium-high heat, stirring until the sugar dissolves. • Boil, without stirring, brushing down the sides of the pan with a damp pastry brush if you see sugar crystals forming, for about 15 minutes, until dark golden brown. • Reduce the heat to low, carefully pour in 3/4 cup of the cream, and stir until smooth. • Stir in the 1 1/4 cups pecans. • Transfer the caramel mixture to the tart shell and let cool to room temperature, then refrigerate for about 20 minutes, until firm. • Beat the cold chocolate mixture with an electric mixer on low speed for about 1 minute, just until it forms soft peaks when the beaters are lifted. • Spread the chocolate mixture over the caramel. (The tart can be made up to this point and refrigerated, covered, for up to 3 days.) • To serve, whip the remaining 1/2 cup cream with an electric mixer on medium-high speed in a medium bowl just until stiff peaks form when the beaters are lifted. • Pipe 8 rosettes around the edge of the tart and decorate with the 8 pecan halves (or just add dollops). • Cut into wedges.

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#### Maple Squash 4 to 6 servings

2 medium acorn squash OR 1 medium pie pumpkin with stem removed (see Note)  
1/3 cup vegetable oil  
1/4 cup maple syrup  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/4 teaspoon black pepper

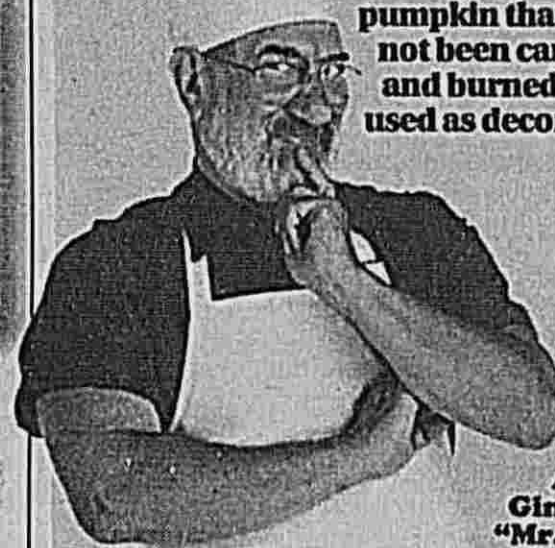
1. Place whole squash or pumpkin in a microwave-safe 9" x 13" baking dish and microwave at 80% power for 9 minutes, to make cutting easier.

2. Remove squash or pumpkin from the microwave and let cool for 2 to 3 minutes. Cut in half and remove the seeds, then cut into 2-inch chunks.

3. In a large bowl, combine the oil, maple syrup, salt, and pepper; mix well. Add the squash or pumpkin and toss until evenly coated, then return it to the baking dish.

4. Cook at 80% power for 15 minutes, or until fork-tender. Serve as is, or drizzled with butter and/or cinnamon-sugar.

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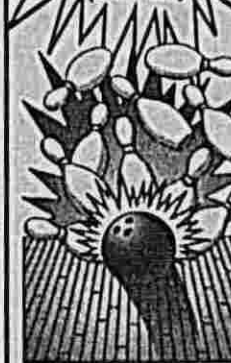
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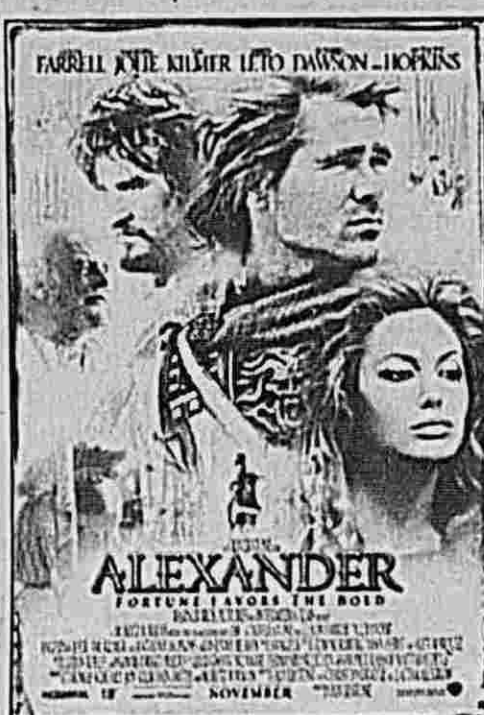


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## NEW RELEASES

These films are currently playing at local theaters. An average of six new reviews a week as well as recent releases can be found under Now Playing at [www.reelmoviecritic.com](http://www.reelmoviecritic.com).

### opening this week



**Alexander:** The first 75 minutes is dull, filled with exposition, corny, cliché, uninvolved and camp. The next 105 minutes is much better, more intense and still over the top, but bloody, gritty and well performed. Colin Farrell is excellent here, particularly in the film's last third when Alexander starts to lose control of himself. (R)

The film is uneven, filled with broad performances and weird accents, odd structure, a narrative framing device that doesn't work at all. For Oliver Stone, it's a strange film and probably a misfire. That said Stone's signature technical genius near the end of the film, in a battle scene, somewhat redeemed the film. Also stars Angelina Jolie, Anthony Hopkins, and Val Kilmer. Provided by Lee Shoquist of Reel Movie Critic.



### still playing

**Big Red One (R)**  
One more week at the Music Box

**The Incredibles (PG)**

**The Motorcycle Diaries (R)**

**Vera Drake (R)**  
Oscar caliber performance by Imelda Staunton, in a non-judgmental film on a woman's right to choose. Set in England in 1950 and based upon a true story.

**Ladder 49 (PG-13)**

**Shark Tale (PG)**

**Undertow (R)**

**National treasure (PG)**

**Saw**

**Noel (PG)**



**Christmas with the Kranks:** The story begins as empty-nesters Jamie Lee Curtis and Tim Allen bid a teary-eyed goodbye to their only child, daughter Julie Gonzalo, as she leaves for a stint in Peru with the Peace Corps. The prospect of a lonely Christmas inspires the couple to "skip Christmas," save expenses and take a Caribbean cruise. This holiday abandonment does not sit well with the neighbors—especially Dan Aykroyd—who have come to expect the Kranks' annual Christmas party and their participation in the block's Frosty the Snowman decorations. (PG)

The snow hits the fan when Julie unexpectedly calls on Christmas Eve to announce that she will be home for Christmas after all with a prospective fiancé in tow—and cannot wait to see the house decorated and party with the neighbors at the family's annual bash.

"Christmas with the Kranks" is lightweight, forgettable family entertainment—harmless fun that doesn't break any new ground. In fact, it safely treads on well-worn trails we've all been down before. It doesn't have the depth to become a beloved holiday classic, replaying year after year. Expect this one to come and go, silently into the night. Written by Cathy Edsey Collins of Reel Movie Critic.



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## Inspired imagination

Based upon the story of J.M. Barrie (Johnny Depp), the creator of "Peter Pan," this film captures the essence of how the story came to be. The challenges of adult life inspire Barrie to write a new play, which heralds the perpetual childlike innocence of a boy who never grows up.

Successful Scottish playwright J.M. Barrie is less than enthusiastic as he watches his latest play set in 1903 London debut to a ho-hum reaction by polite society. Soon after, during one of his daily walks in Kensington Gardens, Barrie unexpectedly meets recent widow Sylvia Llewelyn Davies (Kate Winslet) and her four boys. He is attracted to Sylvia as well as the world of make believe that he creates for her boys, involving various disguises, childhood games, and even kite flying. The relationship manages to grow in spite of the jealousy of his wife Mary (Radha Mitchell of "Phone Booth") and the boys' grandmother Emma du Maurier (a luminous Julie Christie). Mary believes its inappropriate for Barrie to spend so much time with a widow and her children, who additionally subsist in a lower class than they do. Emma sees Barrie as an opportunist who brings unnecessary conflict into their family. At a minimum, while the young boys are still in heavy grieving of their father, having a potential suitor for their mother is a big no-no.

Kate Winslet is known for her sexually attractive roles. That is true here but things go in an unexpected direction when she becomes seriously ill. Barrie convinces his loyal producer Charles Frohman (Dustin Hoffman) to present his stage play about the whimsical character Peter

Pan, who refuses to grow up. Certainly, audiences 100 years ago were awed by actors flying across the stage, some clothed in animal print costumes, defying the norm for a play.

In the recent movie "My Life Without Me" with Sarah Polley, a young mother makes a difficult choice in how to deal with illness, and here Winslet takes a similar stand. We don't know what inspired the story with Polley but in this movie, the events are motivated by what actually occurred. There is sadness in the film, just like there is in real life. One of the wonders of the human spirit is the ability to find great joy in one's darkest days. The play "Peter Pan" opened on December 27, 1904, almost 100 years ago to an enthusiastic reception. Even in our "seen it all, been there done that world," this story still has plenty of vitality, to explore the creative writing process.

For Johnny Depp fans, this is a must see movie. Although the list of worthy male actors for an Oscar is quite long this year, we would not be surprised to see a nomination for Depp. He is able to deliver a powerful performance, that shows creative genius, humanity and frailty without acting gymnastics (a.k.a., Kevin Spacey, Nicolas Cage). Three time Oscar nominee Kate Winslet is very good in this film but if she gets another nod this year, it will likely be for the Jim Carrey film "Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind." Freddie Highmore, as the reticent young Peter delivers an emotional, throat tightening performance, which makes for a powerful ending to the film. We expect this to be in the top 10 list of a number of movie critics this year.



## Finding Neverland

Review by  
Pam & George O. Singleton  
at [info@reelmoviecritic.com](http://info@reelmoviecritic.com)

### Cast

**Johnny Depp** —Sir James Matthew Barrie  
**Kate Winslet** —Sylvia Llewelyn Davies  
**Julie Christie** —Emma Du Maurier  
**Dustin Hoffman** —Charles Frohman  
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Alexander (R) 10:00, 12:35, 2:45, 4:55, 7:05, 9:15

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Finding Neverland (PG) 11:35, 1:45, 4:00, 7:00, 9:10

Sideways (R) 10:15, 1:05, 4:05, 7:20, 9:55

Kinsey (R) 10:20, 12:45, 3:25, 6:00, 8:35

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Seed of Chucky (R) 12:10, 2:20, 4:40

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Incredibles (PG) 11:30, 2:10, 4:50, 7:30, 10:05

Incredibles (PG) 10:05, 12:40, 3:20

Ray (PG-13) 12:45, 4:00

Saw (R) 7:40, 10:00

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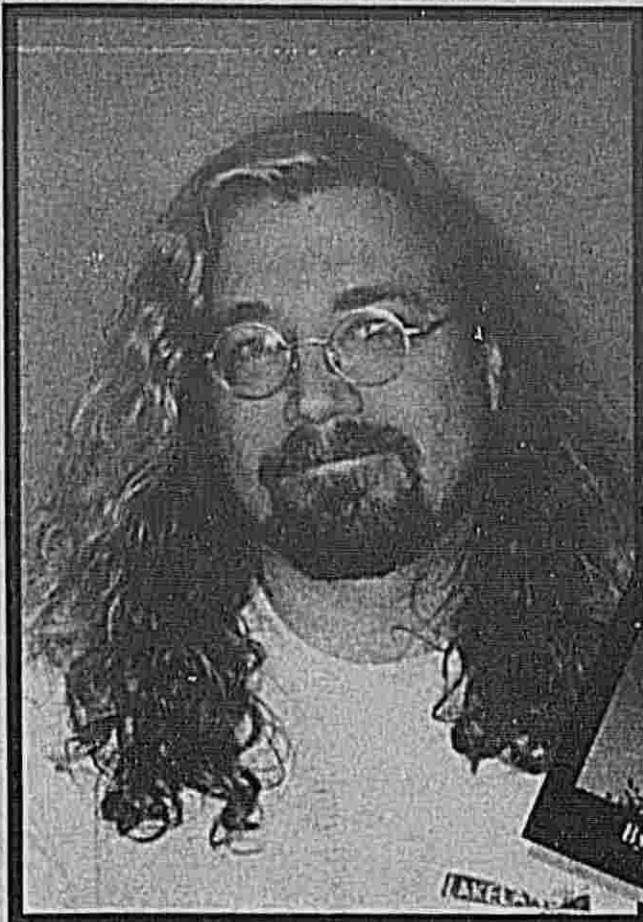
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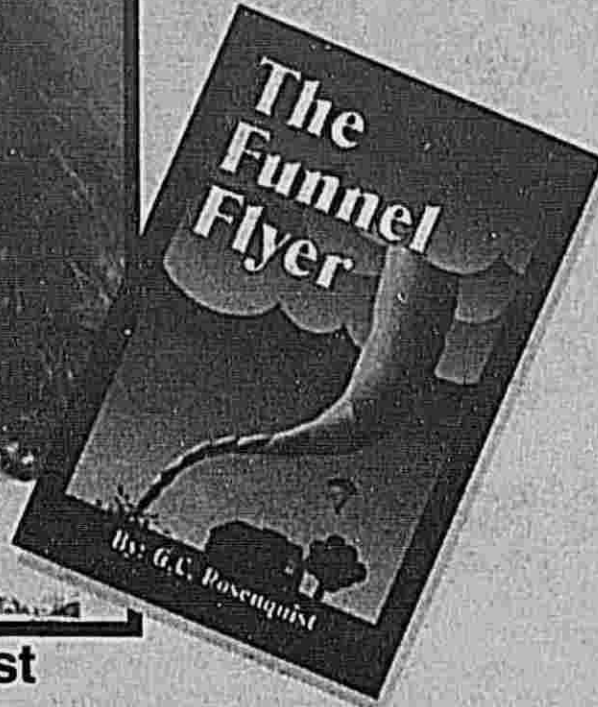
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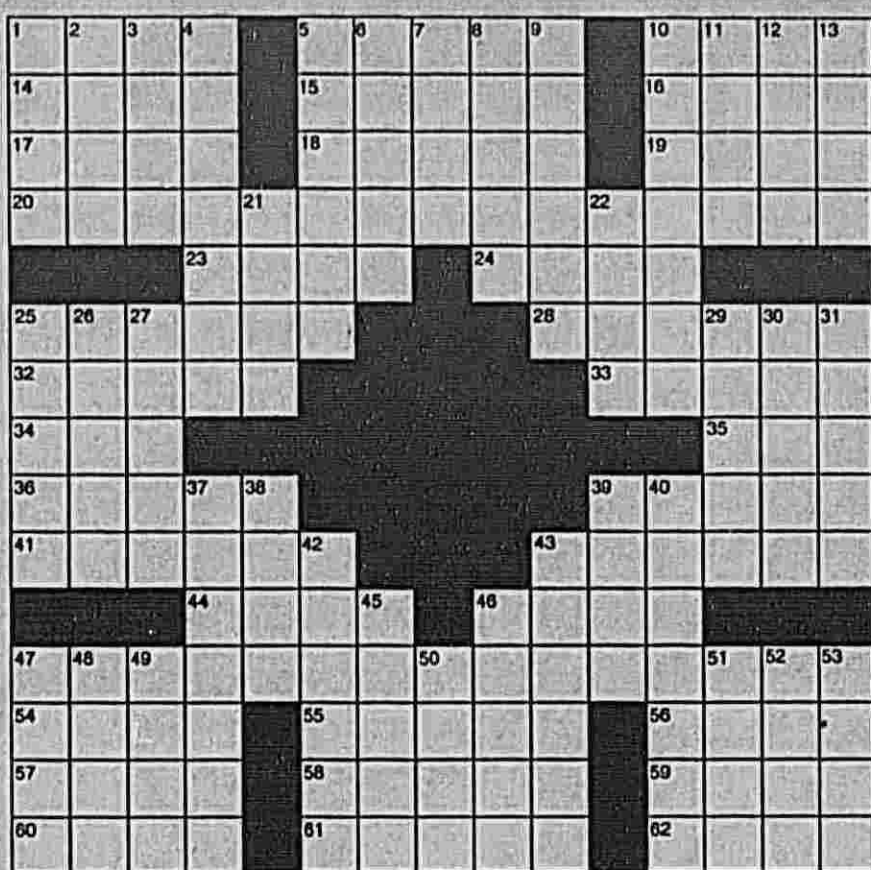
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## ACROSS

1. SW Indian
5. Heeds
10. Major (Big Dipper)
14. Paddles
15. Make a raid
16. Time of day
17. What a doctor gives
18. Spin
19. Alda, actor
20. Not play it safe
23. A female domestic
24. Guru
25. Takes place
28. Rockwell, illustrator
32. Offensive
33. Inscribed pillar
34. Of she
35. Have already done
36. Era
39. Tan color
41. Fill again
43. Stripper
44. Jazz singer Laine
46. Artist, Chagall
47. Best
54. A traditional belief
55. Composition
56. Askew
57. Out
58. Breastplate
59. Capital of Latvia
60. Nominate
61. Goody
62. British School

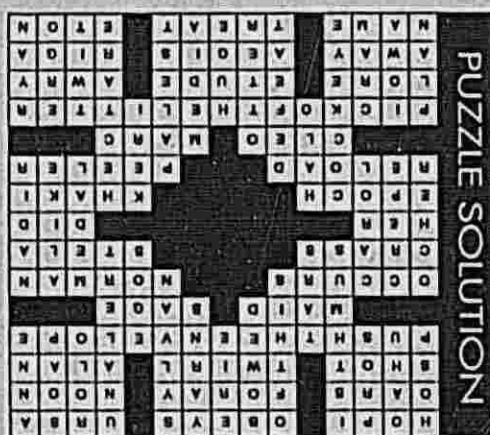
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1. Medical facility, abbr.
2. Tropical Island
3. Aces
4. A strip of land connecting two larger land areas
5. Hereof
6. Arched
7. Canal
8. Narrations
9. Wooded



10. Opposite of alert, slang
11. Chocolate candy brand
12. Money offered as a bribe
13. Green Gables dweller
21. Pitches
22. Selfs
25. Yellow pigment
26. Small very thin pancake
27. A joyful song
29. Decoration
30. Having similar traits
31. An extreme state of adversity
37. Type of squint
38. Nimbus
39. Lotion brand
40. A unit of surface area
42. Crush
43. Most fair
45. Aquatic mammal
46. A means of communication

47. Design a better mouse-trap
48. Hawkeye state
49. Jam
50. Unusually large
51. Annoying person
52. Accordingly
53. O'Neil, actor



## HOROSCOPE

## ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20

Bad news may be a blessing in disguise for you this week, Aries. Therefore, don't shoot the messenger. A friend is at the center of this news, and it may test your relationship.

## TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21

Stop worrying that your social life is going nowhere. The key to finding the right chemistry is communication. And, you're perfectly equipped to communicate to your heart's content.

## GEMINI - May 22/Jun 21

Logic often gets you to the best solutions, Gemini, but sometimes you have to take a chance and just flip a coin. Don't be afraid of the changes your decision brings.

## CANCER - Jun 22/Jul 22

You can charm the pants off of anyone you meet for the next few days, Cancer. But don't make that an invitation to be obnoxious. Too much pep can wear others out.

## LEO - Jul 23/Aug 23

Many people can be hypocritical, Leo, but it's not your job to point that out. Keeping your opinions to yourself will save you grief with those you come in contact with.

## VIRGO - Aug 24/Sep 22

Someone close will make a startling revelation to you. Although you've been resisting, it might be time to wake up to your feelings and the benefits of this relationship.

## LIBRA - Sep 23/Oct 23

Your charming side gets you out of trouble time and again, Libra. Yet this week your ego can try others' patience. Keep a low profile until the weekend is through.

## SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

During the course of the week you will be able to offer some sage advice to someone you love. Feel proud that this person came to you with his or her problems.

## SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

You're so optimistic that you often don't realize when you say hurtful things, Sagittarius. Understand that others may take offense to your opinions.

## CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

Sometimes you just have to let go and say what's on your mind, Capricorn. Especially when it concerns that family member who has been pushing your buttons.

## AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

After weeks of festering thoughts, you're ready to explode at someone. Just be sure you are prepared for a retaliatory attack. He or she has been saving some words for you.

## PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20

Someone wants your approval in a very big way, Pisces. However, you're not sure if you agree with his or her methods of achieving it.

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## SNAP SHOTS

Your thoughts  
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hot topic

Q: "What are you most  
thankful for this  
Thanksgiving?"

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"I'm just  
thankful for my  
family."

Matt  
Corrigan  
Mundelein



"My wife and  
my family. My  
children and  
my grandchildren."

Art  
Huffman  
Crystal Lake



"Thankful for  
helping other  
people."

Don  
Kausak  
Lake Villa



"My family,  
friends, my  
health, and just  
a great com-  
munity and  
country we live  
in."

Bob  
Lashbrook  
Grayslake



"I'm gonna be  
a grandma.  
That's what I'm  
most thankful  
for."

Karen  
Luebbers  
Island Lake

## PICTURE OF THE WEEK



Rockland School second-grader Rebecca Pogue, dressed as a pilgrim, looks on as her parents, Valerie and Bill Pogue, enjoy their Thanksgiving feast dressed as Wampanoag Indians.

Photo by Sandy Bressner

## Flu shots coming to Lake County

By Jeff Zachary  
Staff Reporter

The Lake County Health Department has received a limited supply of flu vaccinations and is scheduling several flu clinics throughout the county.

But appointments are required to obtain a flu shot and individuals must either be: children ages 6-months to 23 months; adults 65 and older; persons 2-64 years of age with underlying chronic medical conditions; pregnant women or healthcare workers.

The Health Department will activate a phone bank on Tuesday, Nov. 30 at 8:30 a.m. If appointments are still available after Nov. 30 the phone bank will continue to Dec. 2. These are the only days residents can call for appointments.

When residents call they will be given details as to the specific locations and times of the clinics.

Waukegan area clinics will be held on Dec. 7 and Dec. 15. Call 847-377-8394. The Mundelein area will have a clinic on Dec. 10. Call 847-377-8392. The Gurnee area clinic is

on Dec. 11. Call 847-377-8391. The Lindenhurst Clinic is on Dec. 13. Call 847-377-8393. The Lake Forest area clinic is on Dec. 15 from 847-377-8396. And the Lake Zurich area clinic will be on Dec. 17. Call 847-377-8395.

People must bring proof of residency to the clinics and person over 65 should bring their Medicare part B cards. Those not on Medicare part B will be charged \$19 for the vaccine. The Lake Forest area clinic will be sponsored by Maxim Health Systems which will charge \$20 for the vaccine or bill Medicare. Maxim cannot immunize children under 9 years of age.

The county has been suffering through a shortage of flu vaccines ever since Chiron Corporation in Britain had its flu vaccine quarantined because of contamination.

Since Chiron was unavailable to ship its 48 million doses to the United States this autumn, only one company, Aventis Pasteur is left as this country's only supplier.

At the Lake County Board November meeting, Bill Mays of the health department, commented on the upcoming clinics.

"We are going to have an appointment system to minimize

any bad PR at the sites where you could have thousands of people showing up for like 800 doses, and that would be quite a mess," Mays said.

At that same board meeting, board member Diana O'Kelly (R-Mundelein) said she would like to be notified as soon as the county had flu shots available.

"I have been receiving phone calls from chronically ill people and some people are desperate for flu shots," O'Kelly said.

"There are a lot of desperate people out there and shortages make desperation sometimes," Mays said.

The health department continues to encourage residents to practice good habits to help prevent the spread of respiratory illnesses such as the flu.

\*Avoid close contact with people when they are sick

\*Stay home when you are sick

\*Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing or sneezing

\*Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth whenever possible.

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## Lake County approves 2005 budget

By Jeff Zachary  
Staff Reporter

Before presenting the 2005 budget to the full Lake County board, and after praising County Administrator Barry Burton for his leadership on the budget process, Brent Paxton (R-Zion) talked about the budget.

"Some of the highlights are as follows: The recommended 2005 budget is a balanced budget. It's a budget that once again, as it has for many years, lowered the tax rate for our citizens. It is also important to note the 2005 property tax levy has decreased this year as well. The 2005 budget totals about \$402 million and the total expenditures are comparable to last year," Paxton said.

He added that the county has been able to increase services to residents while lowering the rate they are taxed.

"As most of you know, only a small fraction of the property tax dollars collected are spent by Lake County Government. Only about 7 percent of property tax dollars that each property owner pays are used for Lake County services. The remaining 93 percent of property tax dollars are collected for schools and municipalities and other taxing bodies," Paxton said. "I think that is an important point to remember."

The 2005 budget includes an emphasis on the criminal justice system, including funding for a drug and mental health court and construction of a new \$3.2 million North Branch Court in Round Lake Beach.

It also includes funding for the new intelligent transportation system.

Board members Carol Calabrese (R-Libertyville) Carol Spielman (D-Highland Park) and Audrey Nixon (D-North Chicago) praised the board for finding money for the new drug and mental health court.

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# Providing care one patient at a time

By Nicholas Alajakis

Staff Reporter

The moment of realization came to Ed Lawrence about four months ago. While opening the door to his rural McHenry County home, his chronically poor hips gave out and he fell.

Lawrence, 81, was OK. He had the strength to get back up, but feared the next time around wouldn't be as easy. So he did something he knew was inevitable, and took up residence at the One on One Senior Care Inc. in Ingleside.

"I wasn't going to go to a nursing home," Lawrence said, recalling a bad experience a

good friend of his had a nursing home. His friend eventually wound up at One on One, where personal care and attention seemed like an attractive alternative for Lawrence as well.

So off to One on One he went. Months later, as a permanent resident, Lawrence said he enjoys it, as he makes his way on to the living room to watch television.

The freedom and security that residents like Lawrence feel is a major reason many stay at the home, said One on One owner Katy Cartier-Pesz, who runs the care with her husband Harry Pesz.

Prior to starting her own One on One care service, Cartier-Pesz, 44, a Certified Nursing Assistant, had worked in larger nursing homes, where the one caretaker would routinely be responsible for more than 15 patients.

"With some of those patients and their health, they should not be left alone," Cartier-Pesz said. "God knows when they are last. God knows when they showered last."

The limited attention she felt was unfair. Then in 2000 the Assisted Living and Shared Housing Establishment Code allowed for small care centers like hers to operate.

With a maximum of five patients, One on One is the smallest licensed caregiver in the state. The center was initially opened in Fox Lake, before outgrowing its location and moving to a larger, five-bedroom residence in Ingleside. The home sits just off Route 134, but you couldn't tell from looking out on the enormous porch, surrounded by woods.

The home is run primarily by Cartier-Pesz, her husband and a housekeeper. The care service does have restriction on the patients it can take of. The house is not licensed to care for those on respirators, or anyone who may require insulin injections, among other things, Cartier-Pesz said.

The large residence is necessary to be able to meet everyone's needs and preferences. A large television sits in the living room, surrounded by furniture. And just a few feet away, is a 155 gallon fish-tank where residents sometimes watch fish interact as they talk amongst themselves.



Photo by John Dickson

Katy Cartier-Pesz assists Charles Ferris, a resident, transition from a walker to a chair. Cartier-Pesz manages One on One Assisted Living, where she cares for a maximum of five residents.



Photo by John Dickson

Harry Pesz, president of One on One Assisted Living in Ingleside, admires an ornament before hanging it up for Christmas decoration.

And of course there are necessary medical modifications made to the home. Wheelchair ramps are at every entrance and all bathrooms and bedrooms offer handicap-friendly amenities.

When she's not comforting residents, Cartier-Pesz can be found in the kitchen at times, cooking meals, making sure they meet everyone's dietary restrictions.

"We have to be economical with everything," Cartier-Pesz said.

Economical, because One on One does not receive funding from the state. And with rates starting at \$80 a day – half of what nursing homes cost, they can not always afford to splurge. But they remain cheap enough to act

as permanent or temporary care.

"We're not in it to turn a profit," Cartier-Pesz said. "We care."

And residents – even those that just visit for a few days – seem happy.

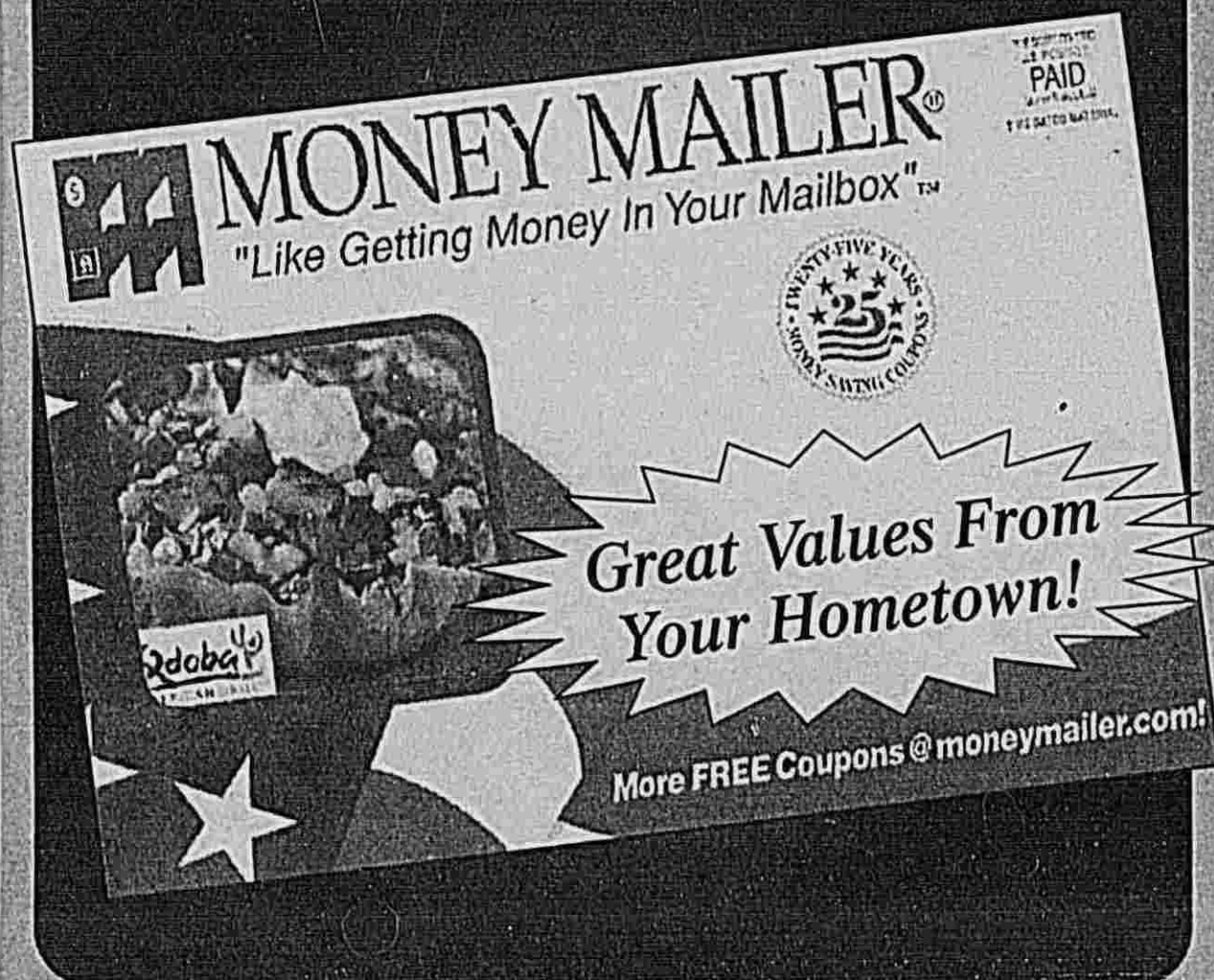
Velda Wasmund, 90, of Lake Zurich, visits One on One three weeks a year, while her son, Tom, and his wife, Gail, vacation in Florida.

"You can't leave me by myself anymore," Wasmund said with a laugh. "But I can't find a thing to complain about here."

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# Carmel High School makes the grade

By Matt Pera

Staff Reporter

Carmel High School was recently celebrated as one of fifty selections for the Catholic High School Honor Roll, an independent project of the Action Institute for the Study of Religion and Liberty.

The schools were chosen by an organization comprised of Catholic college presidents, as well as scholars, who based their selections on statistical information, program descriptions and a series of questions pertaining to Catholic understanding.

Gerald Bradley, a law professor at Notre Dame University, said the honor roll indicated a solid educational program combined with an emphasis on Catholic faith.

"It draws attention to schools that are contributing in extraordinary ways to the

moral and intellectual formation of young people," he said in a statement.

More than 250 high schools applied for the honor.

"It affirms that the focus we have is on strong academics and a strong promotion of catholic values," Carmel principal Rev. Robert Carroll said of the award.

Those who were named to the honor roll were recognized for strong showings in the areas of academics, Catholic identity and civic education.

Carmel was also named to a list of 20 high schools that excel in the area of Catholic identity.

Carroll said the recognition for instilling Catholic ideals was very important to the school.

"People say 'If you're a Catholic school we want to be sure you're presenting the values of the Catholic faith to us in a way

that is attractive and can help in daily life," he said. "That's an emphasis that gets to the core of our philosophy."

But, aside from instruction in religious faith and values, Carmel is also renowned for its academic proficiency. Carroll said that nearly 100 percent of the student body goes on to further their education either at a college or university.

He cited a strong relationship between the administration and teaching faculty as the reason for such impressive statistics.

"People certainly want top drawer academics," he said. "All our students go to college and that is a great representation for the type of education we offer. We emphasize critical thinking, research and a kind of

interactive teaching style and learning style."

Other catholic high schools in Illinois that were named to the honor roll were Marian Central (Woodstock), Aurora Central, Marian (Chicago Heights), Brother Rice (Chicago) and St. Ignatius College Preparatory School.

Carroll said the honor was an encouraging symbol of the hard work put in by those involved with Carmel High School.

"It just further affirmation of what we do," he said. "I can't emphasize enough that these don't happen by accident."

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## Natural hazard mitigation planning on tap

Citizens, first responders and local government officials interested in planning how government agencies respond to natural hazards may attend a multi-jurisdictional meeting on Wednesday, December 1, from 3 to 5 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Mundelein Fire Station, 100 N. Midlothian Road.

This is the second countywide meeting for development of a FEMA-approved natural hazards mitigation plan. Those who wish to participate in the planning process are encouraged to attend even if they did not attend the first meeting.

A federal mandate requires local governments to adopt a FEMA-approved natural hazards mitigation plan in order to be eligible for federal grants for natural disasters that occur after November 2004. Lake County government is coordinating the countywide planning function that is open to all local governments.

Those invited to participate include local and regional first response agencies, businesses, non-profit interests, all local governments and interested citizens.

The county hired URS Corporation of Chicago to assist in writing the Lake County Multi-Jurisdictional All-Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan, which must meet requirements outlined in the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000. With assistance for the Stormwater Management Commission, Lake County received a grant from the Illinois Emergency Management Agency to fund development of the plan.

The local plan will address all potential natural hazards in Lake County and will include documentation of the planning process, risk assessment of all natural hazards, mitigation strategy, plan maintenance process and documentation that the plan has been formally adopted.

The multi-hazard plan will be written to meet the requirement for receiving credit under the Community Rating System of the National Flood Insurance Program, which will qualify communities for lower flood insurance rates. The plan will also meet the requirements for accessing flood mitigation assistance through FEMA.

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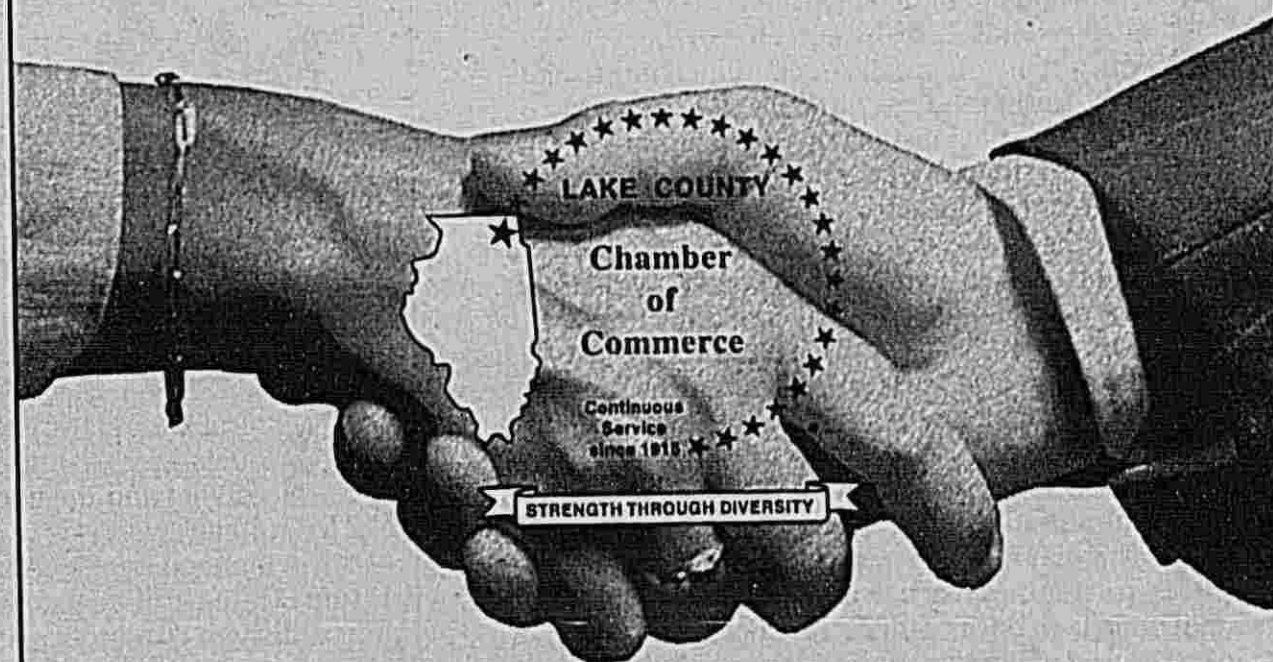
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## Repeat offenders getting more help

While the Lake County criminal justice system continues to lock up law breakers at a brisk rate, taxpayers are spending more than ever for treatment programs designed to help criminals stay out of jail.

County Administrator Barry Burton said new programs, funded in a new budget, are designed to reduce recidivism by focusing on treatment rather than locking up people found guilty of breaking the law. One of the ways is the creation of a special courtroom to deal with repeat offenders with drug or mental health problems. The newly created court is patterned after programs introduced in Cook and DuPage counties.

The budget provides for a new \$2 million branch court in Grayslake; \$3.5 million to rehabilitate an old building in downtown Waukegan for adult probation services and \$1.6 million for additional beds for offenders in the work-release program.

## It's still coffee, whatever the name

We can't think of a better name for a coffee shop: Bad Ass Coffee Co. Sorry. Only kidding. But considering the laws of the land, tolerance for openness of expression and the national fascination with off-beat, weird and bizarre names (think of rock bands, dot com businesses, special interest magazines) that could have happened in Antioch save for intervention by a thoughtful landlord.

The coffee chain with the er, well catchy name is based in Utah and is projected to take the nation by storm. There was a storm in Antioch, all right, the first midwest outlet of the business with a sad-eyed, floppy-eared donkey as a logo. Or should we say sad-eyed, floppy-eared ass as a logo. Whatever, part of the purpose of a business name is to attract recognition. The proposed java center quickly became as well known (almost) as the neighboring Wal-Mart.

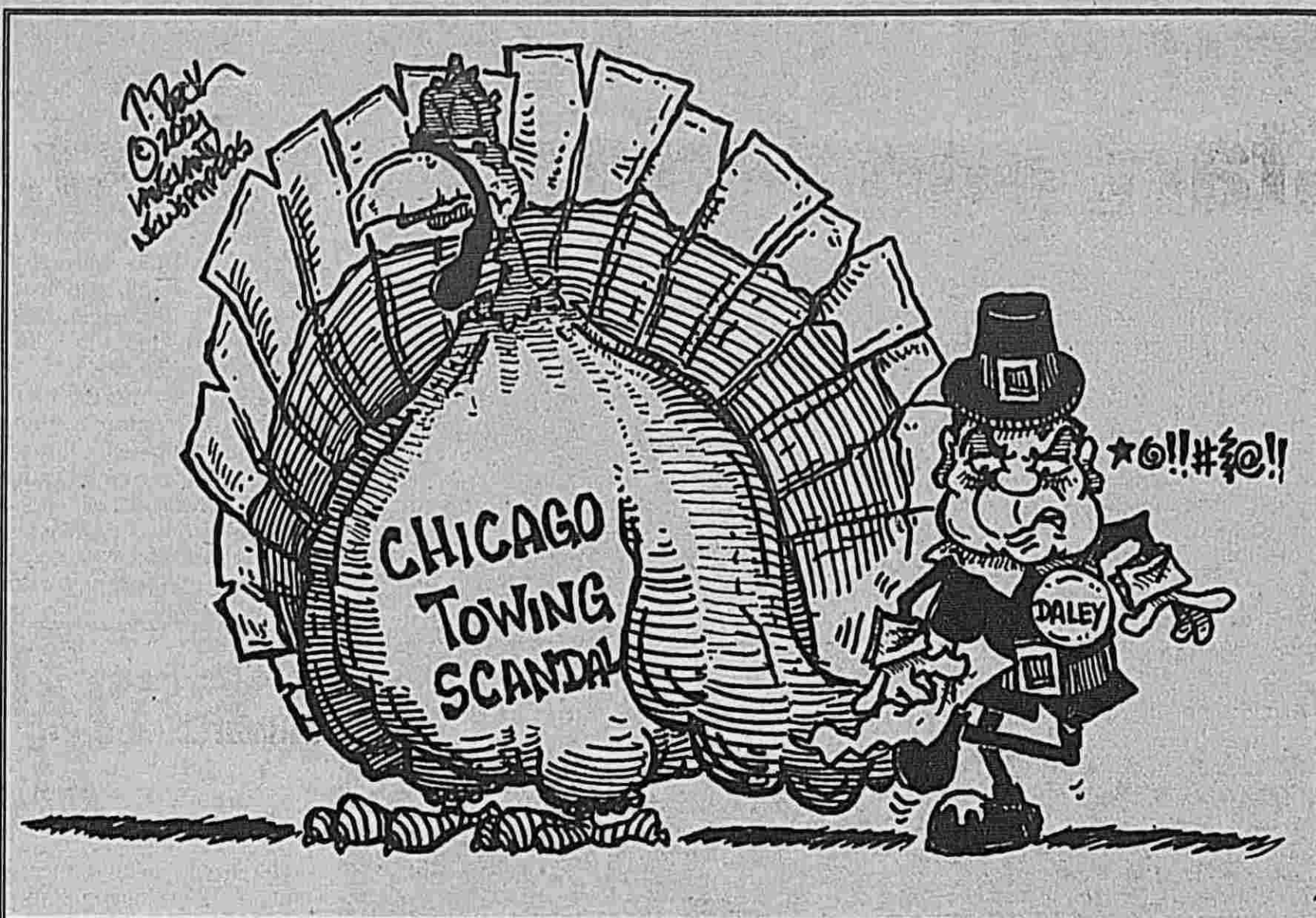
Village fathers officially entered in the record that they consider the coffee shop name vulgar, offensive and repugnant to family values. Yes, it's all that. And more. Kind of silly and misleading. The name lends itself more to a raucous saloon that you'd find in Las Vegas or some western tourist town. We're all for new businesses succeeding, but good ridance. Imagine spouses and teenagers explaining to family members, "just stopped by for a Bad Ass." Mind you, we're still talking about coffee.

## Business likes outlook for 2005

Owners and operators of businesses both large and small generally like the outcome of the Nov. 2 election and the prospects for continued improvement in the business cycle under a second term for President Bush. For the most part, a Republican in the White usually means a business-friendly political climate and policies calling for reduced taxation.

The "trickle down" trail from the White House to the local main street is long and arduous, but a national survey found that 67 percent of small-business owners see the re-election of Bush in a positive light. That means in blue-state Illinois there is a substantial amount of red. Maybe even enough for a purple haze. Findings of the International Profit Associates Small Business Research Board showed a caution signal that 68 percent of those responding said they were less than optimistic about the administration being able to bring down rising health-care costs. This may be the area where blue and red converge for a true bi-partisan approach to reigning in wild health care costs that drain both business and individuals.

In our corner of Illinois, retail and service business is thriving because housing starts still are robust. Prospects are bright well into the decade for more rooftops. What newly elected officials and those taking office in the 2005 municipal elections need to keep an eye on are promoting job-creating commercial enterprises. With a healthy supply of jobs, Lake County will remain a good place to work and live whatever the political coloration.



## VIEWPOINT

## Native Americans, YMCA part ways

After 70 years, the YMCA is winding down ties with Native America culture as imparted in the highly successful Indian Princess and Indian Guide program for boys and girls.

Literally, millions of youngsters have grown up enjoying the experience of being an Indian Princess or a Guide where virtuous living is taught along with such benefits as self reliance, self confidence, building character, promoting tolerance, parental bonding, learning outdoor skills and the benefits of wholesome group experience. A big bonus for kids was the thrill of overnight camp outs with dad.

In a few months, the Indian Princess and Indian Guide name and Native American identification will be only a memory, replaced by a program called

Adventure Guides.

Dave Hayward, president of Lake County Family YMCA located in Waukegan with the Central Lake YMCA branch operating in Vernon Hills, explained that all the core values of the youth program have been retained. Only the name was replaced, a change ordered three years ago by the YMCA of USA in an effort to focus on respect for all cultures and recognize diversity.

As one Grayslake dad explained, "Basically, we've done away with the feather headdress. Now we wear fur hats."

Locally, about 2,000 children and parents are involved in the character building program. The transition has gone smoothly, reported Hayward, who pointed out that replacement of Native American names was done with parental input.

In the old days, boys and girls were given Indian names and they belonged to "tribes" with names like the Sioux Federation. That's all gone. Now they might be affiliated with the Lake Prairie Federation. National park names are used to identify various units.

As another father put it, "We've become sort of a Daniel Boone thing."

As Adventure Guides, kids will continue to grow up with a wholesome, worthwhile experience. And those overnight camp outs still are a hoot.

### One man's family

Even with two visiting Golden Retrievers and irrepressible Sadie, there's a gaping emptiness in the household. Our beloved German shepherd, Callie, finally gave

into canine old age at 11 1/2. Her faithful and loving nature was willing, but part of her body gave out. Callie, who overcame two hip replacements, surgical repair of a damaged knee and escape from a "dognapping," got to the point where she couldn't get up or control body functions. The vet said, "Don't second guess your decision to let her go. You've given her a long and wonderful life." Readers of this column knew about Callie, a dog who could "sing" on cue, was a determined protector of the household and a gentle companion for grandchildren. Callie was rescued from the ravages of a puppy mill and nursed to health. She repaid us a million times over. We wanted you to know that Callie no longer is part of One Man's Family except for volumes of wonderful memories.



Bill Schroeder

Publisher



### COMMENTARY

Adeline Geo-Karis

## Recognize selfless bravery of veterans

One of the greatest challenges facing Illinois, as well as other states, is the shifting nature of both military conflict and the composition of the military forces themselves.

As evidenced by the conflicts in Afghanistan and Iraq, United States military forces remain unchallenged in their ability to conduct successful military operations. In both conflicts, the American military quickly defeated an opposing military force, leading to the rapid collapse of brutal regimes that had persecuted their own citizens for years.

It is estimated that approximately 150,000 National Guard and Reservists are currently on active duty, with approximately 55,000 deployed in Iraq, Afghanistan and the surrounding regions. National Guard and Reserve troops constitute up to 40 percent of the military forces

in Iraq.

The needs of these 21st century soldiers are significantly different from those of the inductees who constituted the majority of veterans during the 20th century. Illinois is taking steps to adjust to those changing needs, but more changes will be required in the coming years.

Additionally, one of Illinois' greatest challenges is meeting the needs of an aging veteran population. Illinois must ensure that the services and benefits the state offers satisfy the fundamental needs of 20th century veterans.

This year Illinois has adopted several legislative measures that serve the state's veterans, as well as active Illinois military personnel.

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## PARTY LINES

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## Start pondering 8th Dist. candidates

Republican crystal ball gazers are having a field day putting together short lists for candidates seeking the GOP nomination in 2006 for Congress from the 8th Dist. Are you ready for this? The "Old Crane District."

There's plenty of talk already about a wide-open field seeking the opportunity to run against Democrat Melissa Bean, who won't be sworn into until next month. Remember the field of 11, or was it 12, or 13 contesting for the nomination in the 10th Dist. six years ago when John Porter announced his retirement?

State Rep. **Mark Beaubien** (R-Barrington Hills), who was re-elected with a hefty 70 percent of the vote, is on most of the lists uncovered by PartyLines sleuths. Beaubien not only lives in the heart of the district (as he has for many years), but his new district encompasses both Lake and McHenry counties, which provide significant bulk for the 8th Dist. As a former Lake County Board member, Beaubien's governmental experience goes back nearly two decades and he is a Republican blue blood.

State Sen. **Pam Althoff** (R-McHenry) is getting a share of mentions. She is a rising



**Baubien:** On short list for prospective runners in 8th.



**Schwartz:** Likes CLC post; getting prepared for '05 balloting

GOP star in Springfield, a former mayor of McHenry and has the gender advantage of a head-on clash with Bean.

Usually included in conversation about Bean foes is **Al Salvi** of Wauconda, former state representative and a two-time contender for state-wide office. His wife, **Kathy**, also gets mentioned. The Salvi name is well known in the 8th Dist. as much for brothers Tom and Mike, former state representative

candidates, as well as the late Albert Sr., a highly respected Lake Zurich attorney, who was a Democrat, by the way. Kathy has a strong Republican pedigree. Her father, Nick Jr., ran for state representative, and her grandfather served in the General Assembly.

Two other names raised when Congressional candidates are discussed are State Rep. **Bob Churchill**, veteran Assemblyman, and **Dave McSweeney**, GOP activist with Cook County connections, who is a perennial mention for a variety of offices.

As one GOP strategist put it, "It's not too early to talk about who'll be running in 2006 to get the district back in the Republican column."

## Schwartz running

**Tom Schwartz**, prominent Waukegan banker appointed to fill a vacancy on the College of Lake County board of directors, is expected to be a candidate for a full six-year term next spring. He was appointed to fill a vacancy created by the resignation of Millicent Berliet of Highland Park. Also anticipated to be on the ballot to retain her CLC seat is **Rosa Reyes-Prosen** of Beach Park.

## Lightening rod

A raised eyebrow or a side-long remark is all it takes for former political powerhouse **Bob Depke** to keep involved in public debate. Gurnee Trustee **Tom Chamberline**, announcing plans for re-election, said he was convinced to run again when he saw Depke "getting involved" in village affairs. Depke, out of office for nearly 10 years, deflected criticism about his speaking out against the policies of Mayor Don Rudney, who also will see re-election.

## Going national

Congressman **Mark Kirk** (R-10th) is attempting to accomplish on the national scene what he is known for in his North Shore district—responding to local suburban problems, pushing for stronger environmental regulations and advocating moderation on social issues. Kirk joined with U.S. Rep. **Charlie Bass** (R-N.H.) to form House Mainstream, with 35-members who will challenge conservative positions of the Republican leadership.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## Sullivan father, son targeted by critic

State Rep. Ed Sullivan Jr. and his group ran a truly nasty political campaign that involved harassment of voters, yet he had the audacity to criticize his opponent in a recent newspaper article.

His opponent criticized Sullivan's drunk driving which was a public fact. Sullivan's campaign, on the other hand, went far beyond the bounds of decency and lawful behavior. Sullivan's father, Mundelein Village Trustee and GOP Fremont Township Chairman Ed Sullivan Sr., confronted a voter because a Sullivan sign was missing from their yard. The voter was a former Sullivan supporter who had let him put signs in their yard in 2002.

The campaign also put signs in yards without permission. This happened to me and Sullivan knew I was totally opposed to his re-election.

I have been told by a senior that they were told by another elected official that if they don't go along and get along with both Sullivans, their property assessment and real estate taxes will go up as "punishment." Having your state representative as your tax assessor is politically intimidating. Sullivan criticized my involvement in senior tax exemption issues. He refused to respond to my request. He waited until a few days before election to get his letter about me published, no allowing me a rebuttal before the election. Nasty politics.

**Linda Palka**  
Mundelein

## Stop the gossip

At a Dist. 46 school board meeting, the community was presented with plain and indisputable evidence from an independent professional firm that the superintendent and his staff have used taxpayer money wisely to provide for education of children. The annual audit from the firm of Evoy, Kamschulte, Jacobs & Co. is accountable to professional industry standards. No money has been stolen, misspent, or wasted by this superintendent and his staff.

If people still believe the rumors and gossip floating around about mismanagement, they owe it to the children to call the district office and/or the auditing firm to get a copy of the report. The financial need is there to pass a referendum. It is time that these rumors stop. It is only hurting our children.

**Kathy Lucas**  
Round Lake

## Unfair treatment

I don't know Pam Keeney, but I think she was treated unfairly when the Mundelein village board forced her to resign from her village clerk position. According to news

reports, Mundelein Trustee Ed Sullivan was active in Keeney's ouster, and maneuvered behind the back of other trustees. One trustee who was kept in the dark said she was disgusted by the behavior of the board.

The board secured Keeney's resignation by reducing the clerk to a part-time position and by reducing the clerk's salary from \$43,000 to \$6,900. The change was justified on fiscal grounds. The village did not want to pay a part-time clerk a full-time salary.

**Barney Baxter**  
Mundelein

## Abusing homosexuals

Yes, I am disgusted by the election results. I freely admit. And, I am not even Democratic party loyalist. I just wanted Bush out for a repudiation of his policies. We had a free and fair election with a record turnout. Our side lost.

If the story ended here, I would remain silent, licking my wounds, sitting in sackcloth and ashes, a political job. (For you see, I am one of those rare birds, a deeply religious person who does not side with the Moral Majority agenda. We are more than you think.)

The problem I have and cannot be silent about is how this election was won. Frankly, it was won on the backs of our friends and neighbors who happen to be homosexuals. Examine the numbers. Eleven states passed bans on same-sex marriages by overwhelming margins. One of these states was Ohio, where Bush won the presidency with a slim margin.

A flood of new voters turned out in favor of Bush. Twenty-two percent of voters said "moral issues" were their most important concern, more than war, terrorism, and the troubled economy. These voters were 2 to 1 in favor of Bush.

What do these voters mean by the "moral issues" label? What they mean by these code words are two things—abortion and gay marriage. This is clear as day. What was new in this election as far as "moral issues" were invoked, was gay marriage (albeit, admittedly compounded by the abortion problem). People came out in record numbers in support of George Bush, the candidate who supported a ban on gay marriages.

As a person who shares their deep faith, I can respect the right of these voters to draw their own conclusions about the morality of same-sex couples, and to teach and practice these views in their churches, families and other groups. However, as an American, I am deeply disturbed that my fellow citizens came out in record numbers to show overwhelming support for sanctioning discrimination against a religious minority. For what else can this be than a religious conviction?

This is a great step backwards. It leads us to ask, are we so different than the Taliban, or other Islamic fundamentalists, who impose their religious conviction on others by force of law? Perhaps there is a difference in degree, but I would say, not in kind.

**Bill Scheurer**  
Lindenhurst

*Editor's note: Mr. Scheurer was an unsuccessful candidate for Congress.*

## Private golf course?

It is obvious to anyone who attended the Fort Sheridan meeting of the full Forest Preserve board that the commissioners were fed a menu of garbage. We had a few astute members such as O'Kelly, Martini, Carlson and Whitmore who didn't buy the story from the inception.

We don't need the golf course or the upkeep of the cemetery and we surely are not interested in the property value of a few people increasing at the expense of taxpayers.

At the current cost that could exceed \$24 million, no average citizen could afford the greens fees. Even at the \$14 million fantasy, most of the people will be left out of the mix. Maybe should name the course "Fort Rich" because those are the people who will be enjoying the so-called beauty of the course. Tom Hahn, director, has a big job to find a way to reduce the expectations of the Highland Park-Lake Forest crowd that was this white elephant for their own private club.

Those commissioners spoke for the course with no regard for cost either don't have the interest of the people at heart are not suited for the position they hold. At least one course in accounting should be mandatory to hold the position of commissioner.

**Marvin Westfall**  
Lincolnshire

## Reducing government

Past mayor of Milwaukee John Norquist described how Milwaukee has gone through a renaissance. Milwaukee has attracted builders and developers by reducing government regulations, restrictions and hurdles. He indicated that less government was good for the community.

I believe that we too can reduce government in Lake County. By eliminating Warren Township, we could save millions in tax money. This money could be used to improve our schools. Also, the existing buildings and land at Warren Township Center could be used for school expansion. Similarly, by eliminating the Lake County Forest Preserve District, millions of tax dollars could be redirected to our schools. The preserve lands could be transferred to the Illinois Dept. of Parks and Natural Resources or to the National Park system. The public golf course owned by the Forest Preserve Dist. could be sold to generate money for teachers, student supplies and school buildings.

**Calvin Cox**  
Gurnee

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Today's military recruits must often interrupt a civilian career when he or she is deployed overseas. Legislation adopted this year reflects some of those changing needs—the importance of protecting service people from lost opportunities on the job, increased costs for their own businesses and increased costs as a result of having their education interrupted. Illinois will need to continue to adapt to those needs.

Recognizing the selfless bravery of those men and women killed in the line of duty, the General Assembly has actively worked to accommodate the needs of veterans' families who are recovering from the loss of their loved one. Several laws have been passed this year that provide compensation to the families of deceased veterans who actively fought in the Global War on Terrorism.

America's military is changing, and Illinois must change with it in order to assure that services and benefits serve the needs of state veterans. The Senate Republican Caucus deeply appreciates the sacrifices that American veterans and active military personnel have made, and continue to make, so that we can enjoy freedom.

Our members will continue to work to advance veterans' issues and ensure that the needs of all Illinois servicemen and servicewomen are fulfilled.

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# OBITUARIES

## Alice B. Paschke

Age 72 of Antioch, passed away Monday Nov. 22, 2004 at the Midwestern Regional Hospital, Zion. She was born March 15, 1932 in Chicago, moving to Antioch in 1967 after spending summers and weekends there for many years. Alice was a member of the United Methodist Church, The A. A. R. P., The Senior Citizens, The Women of the Moose Chapter 735, TOPS and the Catholic Charities. During her life she was a Banker, an agent for the Rail Road, worked as a Licensed Real Estate Agent, was a Key Punch operator for Camosy Construction and was a bus driver for District #34.

Survivors include 3 sons, William, Robert and Brian Paschke and her former daughter-in-law Heidi Paschke all of Antioch. She was preceded in death by her husband William R. Paschke on June 5, 1988.

Funeral Services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday Nov. 27, 2004 at the United Methodist Church, 848 Main St., Antioch, with the Rev. Gary L. Curl, officiating. Interment will be in Elmwood Cemetery, River Grove, IL. Visitation will be Friday Nov. 26, 2004 from 4 until 8 p.m. at the Starn Funeral Home of Antioch, 1055 Main St. (Rte 83) and at the church Saturday from 9 a.m. until the time of services.

## Arthur C. Krausser

Age 79 of Lenoir City, Tenn., formerly of Lindenhurst, and Salem, Wis. passed away Saturday Nov. 20, 2004 at Baptist West Hospital in Knoxville, Tenn. Arthur had served in the U.S. Marine Corps, 6th Defense Battalion Defenders of Midway during WWII, and was a member of the American Legion Post #120 and VFW Post #5150 in Loudon, TN. He was a Master Mason serving 58 years with Westchester Masonic Lodge #995.

Survivors include, two sons: Michael B. (Megumi) Krausser of Okinawa, Japan, and Thomas C. Krausser of South Bend, Ind.; his daughter Elizabeth A. (Sean) Harding of Pearl City, Hawaii; four grandchildren: Crystal and Russell Krausser, and Maika, and Maiya Harding; nephews: Darryl Kucera of Melrose Park, and Duane Kucera of Bellwood; Nieces Dawn Kucera of Palatine and Debbie (Mark) Keelan of Sacramento, Calif.

Arthur was preceded in death by his wife of 47 years Flo Mabelle Krausser, on Oct. 17, 2001, his parents: Curt O. and Elizabeth B. Krausser; and his sister Dorothy Kucera. Memorial Visitation will be held 2 p.m. until 5 p.m., Sunday Nov. 28, 2004 at Strang Funeral Home of Antioch, 1055 Main St. (Rte 83) Antioch, IL 60002. In Lieu of Flowers those desiring may make contributions to the American Cancer Society in his memory.

## Earle F. Burdock

Age 88 of Round Lake Beach, died Nov. 15 at the Hillcrest Nursing Center. He was born July 22, 1916 in Chicago, the son of the late Harry J. and Mary (Dolotowski) Burdock, living in Fox Lake and Wauconda. He retired to Mt. Home, Ark. in 1986 and lived there before moving to Round Lake Beach in 2003. He graduated from Grant High School in Fox Lake and served in the U.S. Army in New Guinea during WWII. Earle owned and operated a fuel oil delivery business in Wauconda for several years and was a member of the Knights of Columbus, Lions Club, and American Legion. He was also in auto sales in Crystal Lakes and other areas. He married Helen V. Either in Fox Lake on June 18, 1938.

He was preceded in death by his first wife Helen Burdock, nee Either, in 1993 and preceded in death by his second wife Juanita Ross Christy in 2001.

He is survived by his daughter Sharon (Steven) Hubbard of Antioch, two sons, David (the late Linda) Burdock of Joplin, Mo. and Bruce Burdock of Twin Lakes, Wis., seven grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services are private. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Season Hospice, 1600 Dempster St., Park Ridge, IL 60068, in her memory.

## Nathan C. Rich

Age 27 of Lake Villa, passed away Sunday Nov. 14, 2004 in Kenosha Wis. He was born April 15, 1977 in Waukegan the son of Gary Rich and Beverly Barrett. He grew up and lived in Lake Villa all his life. His interests included playing pool.

Survivors include his daughter, Ashley of Boulder, Colo.; his mother, Beverly Barrett of Lake Villa, his father Gary of Green Bay Wis.; two sisters Tracy (Robert) Miller of Ingleside and Angie Rich of Lake Villa; his maternal grandfather, Charles Barrett of Lake Villa; his paternal grandparents Robert and Myrtle Rich of Eagle Rich Wis. and two nieces, Summer and Danielle. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandmother, Etta Barrett.

Funeral services and interment will be private.

## Gladys R. Anthony

Age 90, of Hawthorn Lakes in Vernon Hills since 1995, passed away Wednesday Nov. 17, 2004 at her home. She had been living with her daughter in Grayslake for the past three years. She was born Nov. 13, 1914 in Copake N.Y., and was a former resident of Sarasota Springs N.Y., where she owned and operated the Anthony Guest House until 1985. Gladys was a member of the first Presbyterian Church in Libertyville.

Surviving are her daughter, Ruth St. John of Grayslake; two grandchildren, Ed (Lydia) St. John of Deerfield and Karen (Jeff) Vandenberg of Madison Wis.; her great grandchildren, Luke Anthony and Emelia Laura St. John.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Hayward and Jacy Seaman, by her husband Malcolm Anthony on Nov. 13, 1995, by her brother Russell Seaman and son-in-law, Jim St. John in 1997.

Funeral services were held on Sunday Nov. 21 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, in Libertyville.

## William A. Whittle

Age 88 of Lindenhurst, formerly of Mt. Vernon, Va., passed away Monday, Nov. 22 at Victory Lakes Continuing Care Center in Lindenhurst. He was born on Oct. 16, 1916, in Baltimore, Md. to William, Sr. and Alice (Kraeger). He was a resident of Lindenhurst for the past three years.

Survivors include his wife of 63 years, Shirley; his daughter, Sharon (Larry) Olson of Antioch; three grandchildren, Donald, Kimberley and Bradley; and his great-grandson, Tyler. He is preceded in death by his brother, Phillip, and sisters Helen, Elizabeth and Doris.

Funeral services will be private. Ringa Funeral Home of Lake Villa handled the arrangements. Memorials for the Alzheimer's Association, 919 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago 60611 will be appreciated.

## Robert A. Breen

Age 99 of Wheeling, passed away Saturday, Nov. 20 at his home. He was born Dec. 21, 1904 in Chicago. On Nov. 20, 1931 he married Elsie in Waukegan, and she preceded him in death in 1976. He was a professional horseman who was a steeple chase jockey, a huntsman in Northbrook for the Long Meadow Hunt Club, managed various stables in the Barrington,

Long Grove area, and was involved in training of horses and students, some for the Olympics. Robert also judged horse shows of hunters and jumpers, even the Pan American Games.

He is survived by his daughters, Jean Piotrowski of Wheeling, and Sherie (Wes) Cole of Osawatimie, Kan.; three grandchildren, Michael Piotrowski, Bob Cole and Brian Cole; ten great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews. In addition to his wife, he was preceded in death by his parents, brothers and sister.

A memorial service was held at 2 p.m., Nov. 23 at Warren Funeral Home in Gurnee. Interment followed the service at Warren Cemetery in Gurnee. The family received friends and neighbors from 1 p.m. until the service time.

## Jacqueline A. Williams

Age 51, of Fox Lake, passed away Tuesday, Nov. 16, 2004. She was born on Sept. 22, 1953 in Chicago, the daughter of Joseph and Dolores (Teltz) Mandik, living in Lake Shangri-La, Wis., before moving to Fox Lake. She graduated with honors from Truman College as a registered Nurse and had worked at Resurrection Hospital in Chicago, the Lake County Jail, and recently at the Orchard Medical Center in Antioch.

On April 20, 1991 she married Theodore Williams in Antioch. Survivors include her husband Theodore, her two daughters, Angela (Jay) Guizar of Wonder Lake, and Natalie (David) Hopp of Johnsburg, her granddaughter Isabella, her mother Delores (James) Brown of McHenry, her sisters Sharon (Steve) Hopp of McHenry and Diane (James) Malecki of Hawthorne Woods and her former husband Louis Scarpa. She was preceded in death by her father Joseph Mandik.

Funeral services with Mass of Christian Burial was held at 11 a.m. on Nov. 20 at the Church of Holy Apostles, 5211 West Bull Valley Road, McHenry.

Visitation was held on Nov. 19 at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch. Interment was in the parish cemetery.

## Jack H. Baldwin

Age 79, former resident of Lake Villa, and Salem and Tomahawk, Wis., and a long-time resident of Ingleside, passed away Monday, Nov. 22, 2004 in Pleasant Prairie, Wis. He was born on May 6, 1925 in Lake Villa, to Edgar and Martha "Marty" (nee Hartwig) Baldwin, and had graduated from Grant Community High School.

He was a veteran, having served in the U.S. Marines during World War II, and had been employed as a tool grinder with V.R. Wesson/Fansteel Tool and Die Manufacturing Co. in North Chicago for many years before his retirement. He loved reading, watching football and was a history buff.

Survivors include: his nieces and nephews: Kristine (Charles) Pratt of Tierra Verde, Fla., Peter Michael "Pete" (Susie Szczepaniak) Kukla I, of Antioch, Terri (Klaus) Malenke of Camarillo, Calif. and Joseph (Nanci) Kukla of Richmond, Ill.; any by his great nieces and nephews: Peter Michael Kukla of Fox Lake, Andrew (Kris) Harrington of Ingleside, Jeffrey and Joey Kukla of Richmond, Ill., Rachel Pratt of Florida, Heather Malenke of California and Alicia Szczepaniak of Antioch. He was preceded in death by his parents and his sister, Edith "Edie" Kukla.

Visitations will be held on Monday, Nov. 29, 2004 from 10 a.m.-noon. Funeral services will begin at noon with the Rev. Lisle J. Kauffman officiating. Burial will follow at Grant Cemetery in Ingleside. For more information, call 847-587-2100.

## Marian B. Farmer

Age 76 of Vernon Hills, passed away on Monday, Nov. 22 at the Condell Medical Center in Libertyville. She was born on Oct. 22, 1928 in Fairmont, Minn., and was a former resident of Cedar Rapids, Iowa and Sunnyvale, Calif. Marian was also a former 27 year resident of Niles, living in Vernon Hills since 1997. She was a graduate of the University of Minnesota in Minneapolis where she was a member of the Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority. She was also active with the League of Women Voters and a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Surviving are four children, Randall (Michele) Farmer of Mundelein, Ralph (Tonia) Farmer of Hillsboro, Mo, George (Colleen) Farmer of Dubuque, Iowa, Bylo Jane Farmer of Boulder, Co, and eight grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Harold and Catherine Blesi, by her husband David "Hap" Farmer in 1992 and by her sister Jane Slight.

Funeral services were held on Nov. 24

at the Lakeview Presbyterian Church on Lakeview Parkway. An interment service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 27 at Lakeside Cemetery in Fairmont, Minn. Memorial contributions can be made to St. Mary of Vernon Church Building Fund (organ fund) in her memory.

## Bardomiano Arteaga

Age 89, of Vernon Hills, passed away Sunday, Nov. 14, 2004, at the Condell Medical Center in Libertyville. He was born Sept. 30, 1915, in Coeneo, Mexico and came to live in the United States in 1974. He was a former resident of Wheeling and Mt. Prospect and a member of Santa Maria del Popolo Parish in Mundelein. Mr. Arteaga had been a cattle rancher while living in Mexico, where he had been the president/mayor of Coeneo County.

Surviving are four children, Jose (Elsa) Arteaga of Palatine, Amparo Arteaga, Victoria (Ramiro) Ceja and Rosario (Jose) Herrera, all of Vernon Hills; 15 grandchildren, five great grandchildren, two sisters and three brothers.

He was preceded in death by a son, Victoriano, in 1963, and by his wife, Rosario Arteaga in 2002.

Prayers began at 9 a.m., Saturday, Nov. 20, at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, 120 W. Park Ave., in Libertyville. Services continued at the Santa Maria del Popolo Chapel in Mundelein for funeral mass at 10 a.m. Interment followed at Ascension Cemetery. Visitation was held at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home Nov. 19.

## Frank J. Goldberg

Age 68, of Mundelein, passed away Monday, Nov. 15 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville. He was born March 21, 1937 in Brooklyn, N.Y. and had been a Mundelein resident for the past 30 years. Frank was a graduate of Oklahoma State University and received his master's degree from Villanova University in Philadelphia. He was a veteran of the U.S. Marine Corps, having served in the Korean War. Frank had been the president of the R. J. G. and Associates Consulting Firm in Mundelein and was a member of the Waukegan Yacht Club.

Surviving are two children, Eric (Janet) Goldberg of Columbus, Ohio and Renee (Scott) McFarland of Pleasant Prairie, Wis. and two grandchildren, Jeremy McFarland and Kevin Hyun So Goldberg.

Visitation was held Nov. 18 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville. Memorial contribution can be made to a charity to Save the Great Lakes in his memory.

## Howard E. Rowe

Age 79, passed away Tuesday, Nov. 16, 2004 at Victory Memorial Hospital in Waukegan. A life long resident of the Waukegan and Lake Villa areas, he was born Nov. 22, 1924 in Bandroit, Neb. He married Irene (Steinbach) in 1947, celebrating almost 57 years of marriage. He was a World War II veteran having served one term in the U.S. Army Air Corps, followed almost immediately by a second one-year term in the U.S. Army. He leaves his loving family to cherish his memory. He leaves his two sons, Ted and Tim (Terri) Rowe, and one daughter, Sharon Rowe. His beloved grandchildren, George (Karen) Kontaxis, Harold (Jessica) Kontaxis, Tony (Andrea) Rowe, Robin, Michelle, Megan, Jenna, Lindsey and Amber Rowe.

His son, Gary Rowe, two brothers, Harold and Robert and three sisters, Bernice, Leona and Rosella, preceded Howard in death.

Funeral services for Howard were held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 20, 2004 at Warren Funeral Home, Richard S. Zaehring, Director, at 1475 N. Cemetery Road, Gurnee, located in the main entrance to Warren Cemetery, at the intersection of Tri-State Parkway & Cemetery Road. Friends were invited to the funeral home for visitation from 4-8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 19. The interment happened immediately after the funeral service at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery in Libertyville, at the corner of Hunt Club Road and Route 120. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be directed to the American Diabetes Association or the American Heart Association.

## Vera L. Small

Age 86, of Libertyville, passed away Friday, Nov. 19, 2004 at the Westmoreland Home in Lake Forest. She was born April 29, 1918 in Scottsburg, IN and had been a resident of Libertyville for most of her life. She was a graduate of St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing in Chicago and was a veteran of the US Army Nursing Corps, serving in Europe, Asia, and Africa during World War II. Vera was active member of

the United Methodist Church in Libertyville, having served as past president of the United Methodist Church in Libertyville, having served as a past president of the United Methodist Church Women and also very active with the Libertyville Girl Scouts Program.

Surviving are 2 daughters, Sharon (Gilbert) Mitchell of McConell, Ill., Susan (John) McCormick of Grayslake; 3 grandchildren, Julie (Dan) Davis, Jennifer and Katie McCormick and a great granddaughter, Megan Davis.

She was preceded in death by her parents, John and Irene Elliott, by her husband Earl B. Small on Oct. 27, 1996, by her grandchildren, Michael John Mitchell and Pamela Mitchell and by her brother Ivan Elliott.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 27 at the United Methodist Church, 429 Brainerd Avenue, Libertyville. Interment will be at Lakeside Cemetery. Visitation will be from noon until the time of service on Saturday at the church. Memorial contributions can be made to either the United Methodist Church or Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation in her memory. Arrangements are by the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville. For information, phone 847-362-3009.

## Sandra L. Lacy (nee Ourada)

Age 67, a resident of Lake Tomahawk, Wis. for the past 15 years, and former long-time resident of Fox Lake died on Wednesday, Nov. 17 at her home.

She was born on Aug. 26, 1937 in Chicago to Jerry and Bernice (nee Kostal) Ourada.

Sandra had been an office manager for Sears at the Sears Tower in Chicago; and had also been a former secretary at "SeeCo" in Cicero. She was a member and past president of the Lake Tomahawk Lioness Club. She was a great mother and enjoyed spending time with her family and traveling with her husband. She also enjoyed arts and crafts, and computer and stamping classes.

Survivors include her husband William L. Lacy of Lake Tomahawk, Wis. and her mother Bernice (nee Kostal) Ourada of Woodruff, Wis.

Her children include Sandy (Bart) Erwin of Blue Bell, Penn.; Sue (Bill) Turpel of Johnsburg; Shelley (Tom) Kuebler of Kenosha, Wis. and Stephanie Romie (Tammie Falk-Day) of Antioch. Her stepchildren include Ann Brandt of Chicago; Michelle (Don) Otte of South Carolina and Brian (Janice) Lacy of Pistakee Highlands, McHenry.

Her grandchildren Jessica, Michael and John Erwin; Christopher, Daniel, Jennifer and Rebecca Turpel; Jimmie, Kyle and Cody Kuebler; Josh and Ian Day; Stephanie Brandt; Christine, Michael and Geoffrey Otte and Brett and Nicole Lacy. She is also survived by many nephew, nieces, great nephews and great nieces as well as cousins.

She was preceded in death by her father, Jerry Ourada and her brother Jay Ourada.

Visitations were held on Sunday, Nov. 21 at the K. K. Hansher Funeral Home, 12 N. Pistakee Lake Road, Fox Lake. Interment was private.

In lieu of flowers, memorials in her memory for the American Breast Cancer Foundation are appreciated to Breast Cancer Research, 100 Tri State International, Suite 125, Lincolnshire, IL 60069.

## Elsie C. Schultz

Age 86, a recent resident of Libertyville, passed away on Wednesday, Nov. 17 at the Libertyville Manor. She was born Aug. 21, 1918 in Lake Geneva and had been a Chicago resident for most of her life. She was a 1935 graduate of St. Michael High School in Chicago and was a former resident of The Breakers of Edgewater Beach. Elsie was a telephone operator as a young woman and was a member of The Telephone Pioneers of America.

Surviving are her son James (Karen) Schultz of Vernon Hills; two grandchildren Jonathan Schultz of Chicago and Jennifer Schultz of Lake Bluff and her granddaughter, Madison Belle Snyder.

She was the dear aunt of Kathleen (Ken) Peterson, Patricia Connerton and Gerald (Barbara) Selah.

Her parents Henry and Nellie Bahlke, her husband George Schultz and sisters Loretta Welby and Mary Selah, preceded her in death.

Prayers were held on Nov. 20 at the Burney-Dane Funeral Home, 120 W. Park Ave. in Libertyville and services were held at St. Mary of Vernon Church in Indian Creek. Interment was at Irving Park Cemetery. Memorial contributions can be made to the Arthritis Foundation in her memory.

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## THIS WEEK'S SPOTLIGHT HOMES OF LAKE COUNTY



**149 Oakwood Drive  
Antioch  
\$164,999**

This two-bedroom ranch with lake rights sits on a corner lot. There are new maple cabinets, stone center island, ceramic tile, roof, gutter, heat and electric. Oak floors are in the master bedroom and living room. The bathroom is newly remodeled and enlarged. City sewer and water is established and there is an invisible dog fence, shed, fenced deck and two and a half-car garage. Parking space for eight cars is available.

### Home details

Year built: BR2: 13X9  
Before 1978 KIT: 14X13  
LR: 15X13 Rooms: 5  
MB: 13X10 Baths: 1  
DR: 13X10

2003 taxes: \$2,766

For more information on this home, visit [www.realtor.com](http://www.realtor.com) or call Remax Advantage Realty at 847-395-3000.



**1874 Warbler Court  
Libertyville  
\$609,900**

This absolutely fabulous four-bedroom home has a two-story foyer and hardwood floors with a first-floor office, den and bedroom. The family room has a fireplace wired with surround sound. The basement is ready for finishing touches. There is new carpeting and fenced year and the home sits on a cul-de-sac. The kitchen has a center island and an eating area overlooking the beautifully wooded yard.

### Home details

Home details BR3: 12X12  
Year built: 1999 FR: 22X16  
LR: 16X15 BR4: 12X12  
MB: 26X16 DEN: 14X10  
DR: 14X11 BRK: 14X9  
BR2: 16X13 Rooms: 10  
KIT: 16X16 Baths: 2.1

2003 taxes: \$10,600

For more information on this home, visit [www.realtor.com](http://www.realtor.com) or call Swanson Realty at 847-680-3450.



**345 Cedar Ridge Drive  
Lake Villa  
\$360,990**

This is a newly constructed home that is a must see. Included in the base price is dual zone heat and air-conditioning, oak rails, fully sodden and landscaped lawn, hardwood and tile in the foyer and a powder room in a luxury bathroom with tile. There is also a nine-foot ceiling on the first floor and a three-car garage. Other options to build are available.

### Home details

Home details BR3: 14X11  
Year built: New FR: 22X15  
LR: 14X13 BR4: 14X11  
MB: 16X15 DEN: 17X12  
DR: 15X13 SIT: 12X11  
BR2: 14X12 Rooms: 11  
KIT: 15X14 Baths: 2.1

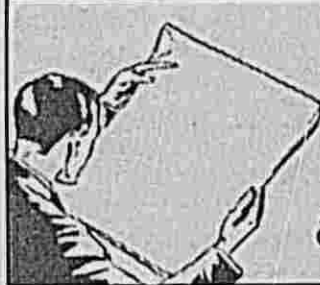
2003 taxes: New

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## Bring indoors out with outdoor rooms

Many homeowners are taking the indoors outside by creating outdoor rooms where they can cook, eat, entertain and play while basking in the sunshine or gazing at the evening sky. Creating and furnishing your outdoor room is easier than you think, particularly with these simple tips:

- Be sure to use materials that can handle exposure to outdoor weather when building an outdoor kitchen. Slate is a good option for countertops, and stainless steel works well for sinks, refrigerators and grills.
- Outdoor furniture and fabrics designed to withstand the elements are a must. Performance fabrics, such as Sunbrella brand fabrics, won't fade and resist stains and mildew. Perhaps even better, they're available in a variety of styles, from bright stripes and intricate jacquard weaves to solid colors in traditional earth tones. The latest designs incorporate the best of interior styling with outdoor performance.
- Tall plants, such as potted palms, make attractive screens, lending privacy to areas that might otherwise feel too exposed. They also can serve as a wall of sorts, separating an outdoor kitchen from an area where family members and guests can chat and relax.
- Consider using a mix of neutral colors and bright hues in fabrics and furnishings to complement both nature and your home. Pillows and other accessories can add splashes of color and change with the seasons.
- If mosquitoes and other bugs are a problem, consider screening off a section of your outdoor living space. That way you won't be forced to go inside when dusk falls.
- Performance fabrics for the outdoors have many applications, from seat cushions and market umbrellas to privacy screens and curtains. With Sunbrella fabrics you can coordinate everything in your outdoor room with the fabrics you use inside your home, due to the extensive collection of new interior Sunbrella fabrics.
- Make sure your cushions are cellular foam so that water does not get trapped inside, and by using a performance fabric, you will spend more of your time enjoying the great outdoors and less time with care and cleaning.
- Ceiling fans allow air to circulate in a screened-in porch, gazebo or any covered area, keeping temperatures comfortable even outside.



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## FASTTRACK

### Understanding your credit report

Consumers Cooperative Credit Union is lending a helping hand for its new neighbors by hosting a free Spanish-language seminar titled, "Understanding Your Credit Report" on Oct. 19, at 6 p.m., at the Ramada Inn in Waukegan. The seminar will explain how credit reporting bureaus compile information and how you can obtain a copy of your credit report. Attendees will also learn about credit reporting regulations, your rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act and how to correct any inaccurate information in your file. Call 877-275-2228, Ext. 8831 for information.

### Hospital home to labyrinth

Having recently spent some \$65 million on brand new facilities and state-of-the-art technology, Lake Forest Hospital's latest "healing tool" is about 4,000 years old. Thanks to the Lake Forest Garden Club, patients, their families, hospital employees and the community can now experience a labyrinth, located just north of the new Hunter Family Center for Women's Health addition to the hospital.

This location was chosen, in part, because the labyrinth represents an enhancement of the center's holistic focus on the mind, body and spirit. In accepting this gift, Lake Forest Hospital Vice President/Philanthropy Pamela Gerard said, "The labyrinth offers another dimension to the healing process and the hospital is pleased to have one that is available for patients, their families and the general public. We are thrilled that the Lake Forest Garden Club had an interest in creating a labyrinth at the hospital and we gratefully acknowledge the generous donation that has made this possible." Call 847-234-5600 for details.

### Local landscape contractor adds holiday lighting services

Cynthia Fletcher Studio, Inc. has become an authorized dealer for Outdoor Décor—Holiday lights and more.

The company installs outdoor lights for holidays, parties, weddings, and special events.

"Many of our clients are decorating the exterior of their homes for the winter season, instead of for a specific holiday," says Cynthia Fletcher.

Cynthia Fletcher Studio, Inc. is a full-service landscape contractor working in the Northshore Chicagoland area. They may be reached at 847-270-9887 or you can visit [www.cynthiafletcher.com](http://www.cynthiafletcher.com).

### Fifth Third grand opening

Fifth Third Bank will celebrate the Grand Opening of its newest banking center on Oct. 8 at 2 p.m. Ribbon cutting and festivities are open to the public.

"As we continue to grow in the Chicago market, Fox Lake provides us with an excellent location to serve more consumers and businesses looking for greater value in their financial services provider," said Brad Stamper, Fifth Third Bank's President and CEO. "Our full range of products and services, combined with our hometown focus, allows Fifth Third to deliver the performance of a national powerhouse in a community-focused, service-oriented environment."

The Fox Lake banking center will feature a large lobby, four drive-up lanes, a drive-up ATM, a night depositary and safe deposit boxes. It will offer consumers and businesses products and services from banking to borrowing and brokerage.

## Business group networks across county

By Kyle Schmitt

Staff Reporter

Before she formed the organization, Suzanne R. Smith heard repeatedly what great networkers women were. Now that members began hanging around 45 minutes after meetings to talk and owners from Antioch, Grayslake and Libertyville have started to attend, she realizes she made a wise investment of her time.

The Lindenhurst - Lake Villa Women in Business group has become a "network funnel" that enables members to make contacts with a variety of other business owners and managers while promoting their own work, Smith said, and learning how to better serve themselves and their customers.

A financial representative for

Northwestern Mutual Financial Network with the Hoopis Financial Group in Skokie, Smith said the 30 to 40 members and guests who show up for each meeting have praised the group for helping them find any specialty business they need.

"The women have told me that they know pretty much every woman business owner in the community," Smith said. "They know what the businesses offer."

She began holding meetings to complement the Lindenhurst - Lake Villa Chamber of Commerce meetings, and found that the women's group gave increased opportunity for networking. Everyone gets a 30-second "infomercial" to talk about their business, and can speak on friendly terms without having to worry about getting referrals.

Women in Business has also helped acclimate new businesswomen to the area, provid-

ing a support structure for those trying to establish themselves in a new environment.

"It's hard to just walk up to somebody and say, 'Hey, can I meet you?'" Smith said. "I wanted to create a forum for people to meet in the business community."

Several local businesswomen have given lectures at the meetings on topics ranging from small business loans to writing a press release to represent your business. The group recently helped with the ATHENA Award, and hopes to start a mentoring program for teenage girls.

The group will hold its next meeting on Dec. 10 at Kids Hope United in Lake Villa. The first meeting is free, but attendance at subsequent meals will require membership. For more information, call Suzanne R. Smith at 847-663-7044.

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## GRAND OPENING

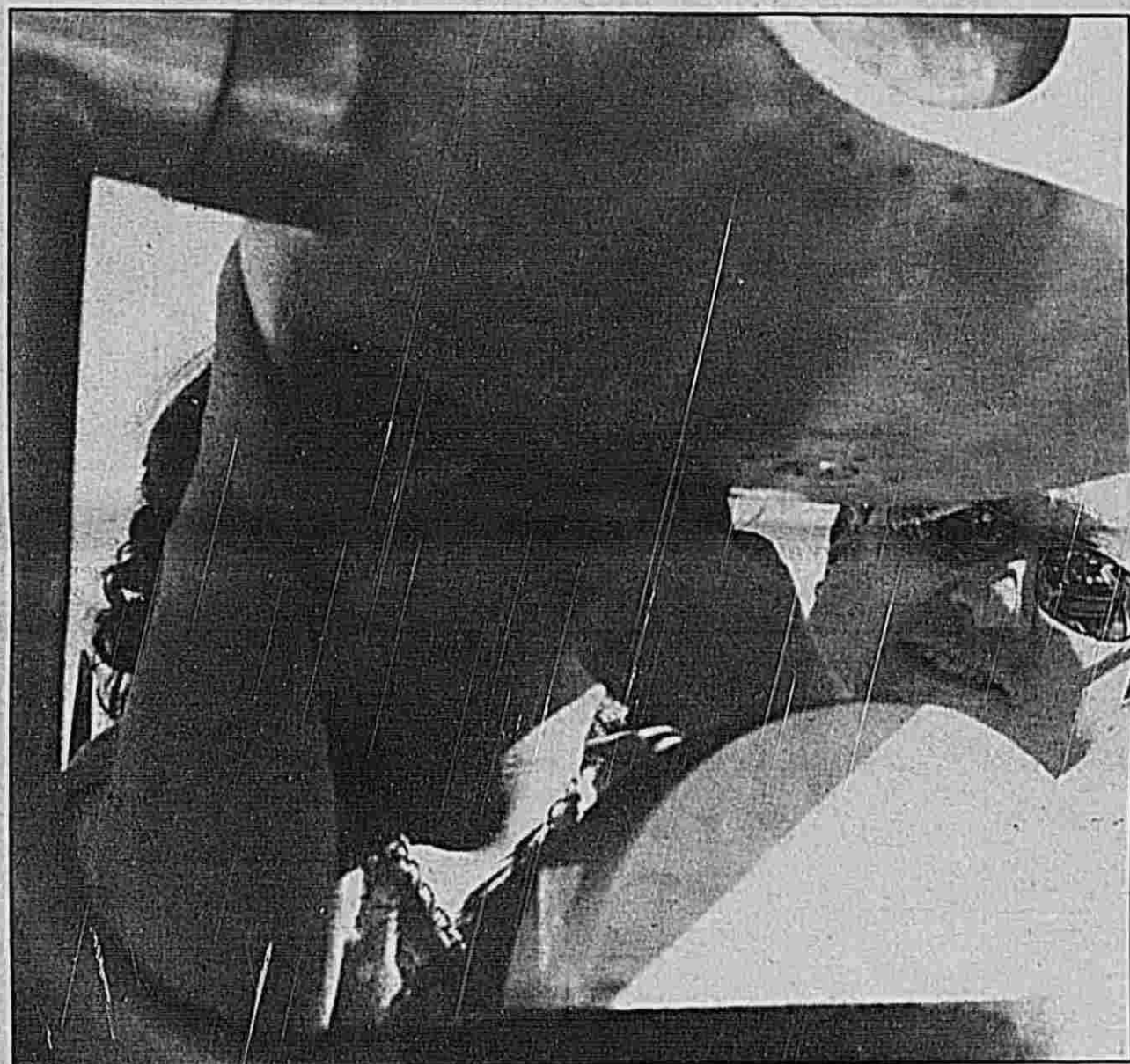


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**Tom Zinsmeister holds his daughter Sarah Zinsmeister, 3, up to the telescope so she can see the top of the Bonner Heritage Farm during the grand opening of the new Lake County Forest Preserves newest attraction. This historic Bonner Heritage Farm in Lindenhurst is now open to help visitors get in touch with their farming heritage.**

## ON THEM MOVE

### Outstanding supervisor

Zengeler Cleaners is fortunate to have a supervisor who is up to the task of living up to the expectation of takes dedication and hard work. She's Fernanda Estella, a 20-year veteran with the company who joined Team Zengeler in 1984 after relocating from the southwest coast of Mexico. Fernanda is now in charge of the production of shirt laundering and dry cleaning in the plant at Zengeler Cleaners. Estella began her career at Zengeler Cleaners in 1984. During her early years, she was responsible for inspecting each item of clothing and making minor repairs as needed, such as fixing a loose seam, replacing a lost button and looking for spots. As a supervisor, Fernanda Estella has passed that attention to detail on to her staff. In her words, "Every job is important because our customers depend on us."

### New maternity services director

Kim Nagy has begun her new duties as director of maternity services at Lake Forest Hospital. In announcing her appointment, Vice President/Chief Nursing Officer Karen Strathman said, "Kim comes to us as a highly

regarded labor and delivery nurse with a strong business background." Nagy's more than 20 years of health-care experience includes work as a consultant, clinical nursing instructor, perinatal staff nurse and parish nurse. Nagy's professional background also includes performance management, business and service-line development. Her prior employment includes executive director of marketing and education for Family Care Centers of Indiana and vice president of operations for AAA Medical Equipment and Supply Company in Houston, Texas.

### National law firm adds new associates

Hinshaw & Culbertson LLP announces the addition of 15 new associates to the firm's California, Florida, Illinois, Minnesota, New York and Oregon offices. The new associates include the Waukegan Office of Hinshaw & Culbertson LLP. They include Richard S. Kolodziej, who focuses his practice on professional liability litigation with special emphasis in the area of medical malpractice defense. Also Stephen A. Oakley, who maintains a broad practice in both litigation and transactional matters.

## Libertyville resident joins MB Financial Senior VP

Vincent Laughlin, of Libertyville, has joined MB Financial Bank, N.A., as Senior Vice President of its Commercial Real Estate Group. The announcement was made by Thomas Panos, Executive Vice President and Chief Commercial Banking Officer for MB Financial Bank.

Laughlin, in his new position, is responsible for directing MB Financial Bank's Commercial Real Estate Group, a unit of the bank's Commercial Banking Department. MB Financial's growing Commercial Real Estate Group provides real estate finance services to entrepreneurial as well as to institutional owners and developers. Those services include residential, office, retail and industrial construction loans, as well as acquisition and development loans for asset repositioning.

The MB Commercial Real Estate Group also works with other departments within MB Financial Bank to provide a comprehensive range of services that support the general business and personal financial management needs of its clients.

Laughlin has concentrated on commercial real estate and project finance throughout his professional banking career. Prior to joining MB Financial Bank, Laughlin spent more than 10 years with Bank One and had earlier been with the former Exchange National Bank.

Laughlin attended the University of Notre Dame where he earned a Masters Degree in Business Administration as well as a Bachelors Degree in Business Administration.

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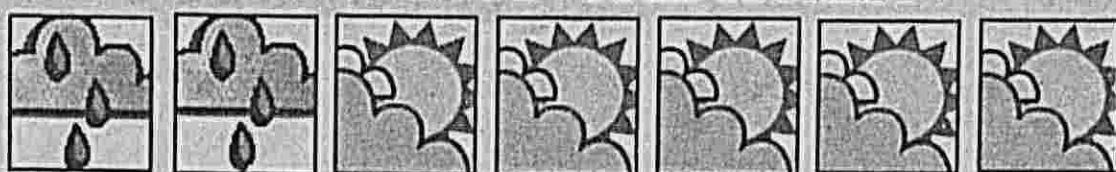
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Sunrise	6:54 A.M.	6:55 A.M.	6:56 A.M.	6:57 A.M.	6:59 A.M.	7:00 A.M.	7:01 A.M.
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Moonrise	4:05 P.M.	4:42 P.M.	5:27 P.M.	6:19 P.M.	7:18 P.M.	8:21 P.M.	9:25 P.M.
Moonset	6:54 A.M.	7:58 A.M.	8:58 A.M.	9:52 A.M.	10:36 A.M.	11:13 A.M.	11:44 A.M.

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	Nov. 17	Nov. 18	Nov. 19	Nov. 20	Nov. 21	Nov. 22	Nov. 23
Pick 3 Midday	442	898	099	455	N/A	148	N/A
Pick 3 Nighttime	824	352	567	127	362	726	N/A
Pick 4 Midday	2363	2832	6540	2745	N/A	4850	N/A
Pick 4 Nighttime	9766	8776	0304	1010	0175	5936	N/A
Little Lotto	01-23-34-35-36	05-18-26-34-36	05-10-11-20-24	02-12-16-21-33	04-07-09-17-33	09-24-25-33-35	N/A
Lotto	09-10-12-27-28-34	No drawing	No drawing	01-18-19-24-25-41	No drawing	No drawing	No drawing
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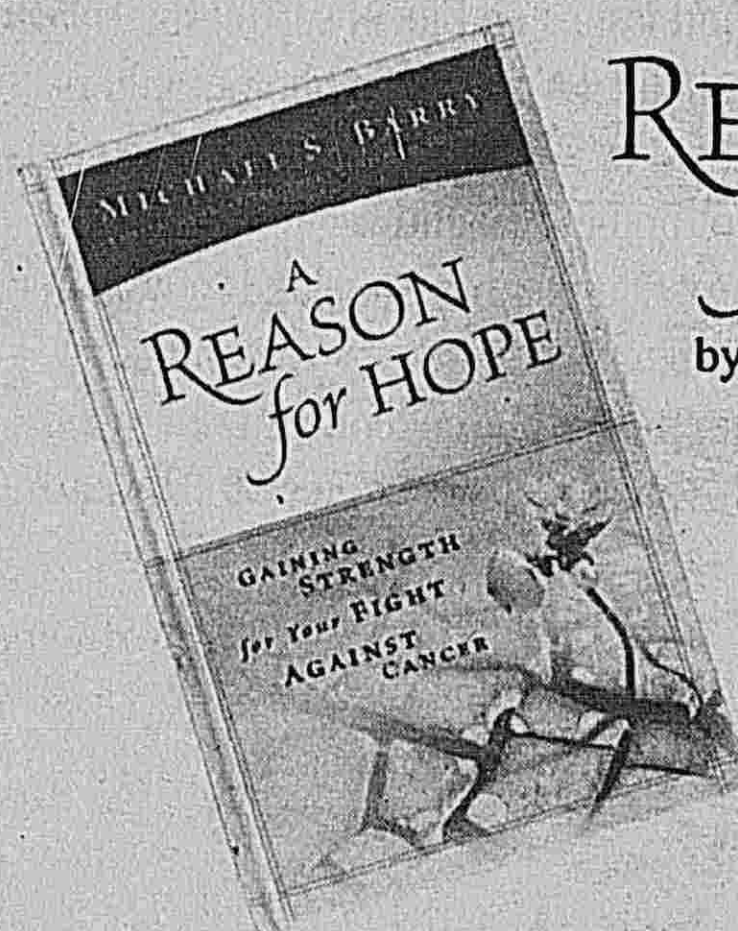
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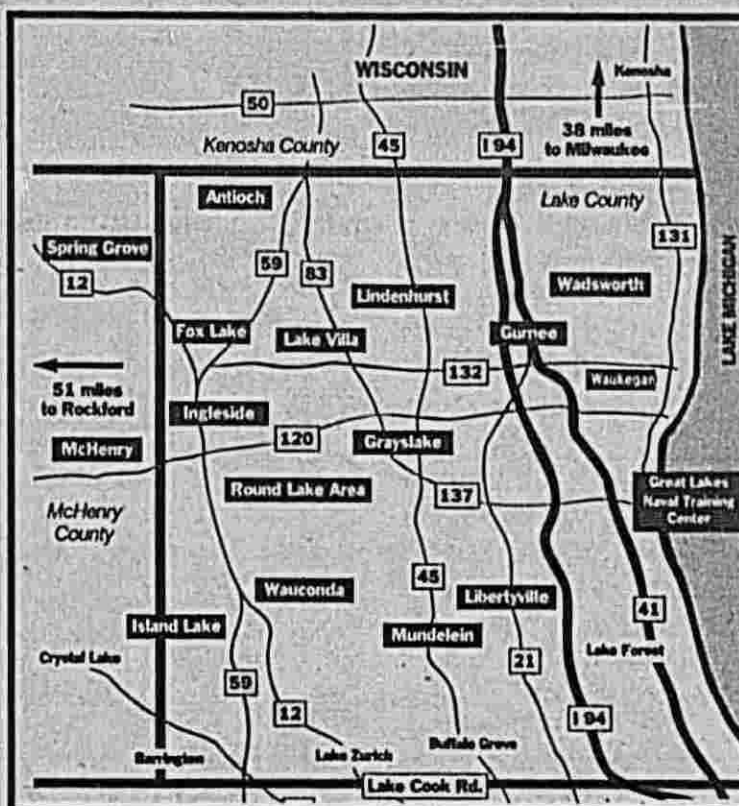


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### Is Morality An Issue?

By Scott T. Fleischmann

On November 2, 2004, election day, our news commentators conceded the election. They admitted that they had no idea that the American public would vote based on morality.

Last week we saw a brawl in professional basketball, a slugfest in college football and a sexually explicit advertisement to open a professional football game. Is this country focused on morality or not, and what affect does it have in the workplace?

Yes Virginia, America is again becoming a country that is based on morality. The leaders of most European nations dictated the moral and religious beliefs of their countries at the time that the first people arrived in America. In fact, the earliest settlers left their homes and families to practice a morality that was based on their religious beliefs. The writers of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution carried on that morality. However, modern and post-modern thought altered those beliefs.

So, if we are returning to morality why did we experience the detestable acts in the world of sports last week? We have taken such liberty with ethics, virtue, respectability, and truth that a return to decency will be a tedious process. It will be much like turning an elephant in a bathtub 180°. Our news reporters have not yet identified the trend. How are we, mere mortals, to see it?

The workplace is about to go through a rapid and significant transformation because we are returning to morality. It may have already started with the prosecution of Enron, Martha Stewart, Ron Artest, Clemson University... Lack of morality has been attacked at the upper levels. No crystal ball is needed to know that if the executives will be held accountable their subordinates cannot be far behind.

For those of us in the workplace, this evolution means that we need to be completely honest with all vendors, customers, managers and peers. It means that we will be held accountable for all theft. Stores now have small tabs that can be sensed by the scanners at the stores to identify theft. They are used in small items that can be easily stuffed in a pocket. Do not be surprised to see that technology used in business for supplies that could walk out of the workplace on human legs.

What would America be like if we were all moral? Not only would we all be held accountable, we would all be treated with respect and we would have the freedom to be honest because we do not need to compete with those who are not honest. This is a good thing. Employers would return to paternal caring rather than the current state of employee abuse and profit mongering. We will feel a renewed sense of security because of the return to morality.

There are still difficult times ahead. Elephants are not easily turned in a small space. However, the effort is worthy of the result. We will all be more comfortable in a more moral work environment.

Scott T. Fleischmann is a principal with Integrity Business Solutions Inc., a management consulting firm. They can be contacted through the company web site at [www.aboutintegrity.net](http://www.aboutintegrity.net). Information in this column is opinion, and as such, should be used only as the reader deems suitable.

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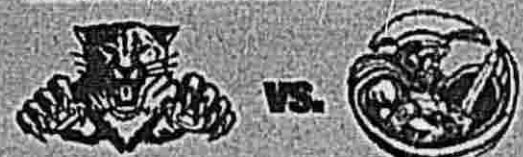
Carmel senior point guard Jenny Eckhart became the school's all-time leading scorer last week, passing former star Caitlin Krombach. She then followed that with a 30-point performance against the Corsairs got off to a 4-0 start.



DAVID  
MOOSMAN  
LIBERTYVILLE

Anytime a team rushes for 3,446 total yards in a season, you can bet they're doing it in front of a solid offensive line. Libertyville senior lineman David Moosman has battled in the trenches for the Wildcats and it has paid huge dividends.

## GAME OF THE WEEK



### FOOTBALL

The Libertyville football team (13-0) will finally get their chance for redemption Saturday when they take on Cary-Grove (13-0) in the Class 7A state championship game in Champaign. The Wildcats have outscored opponents 464-160 this season.

# Cats Champaign bound again

*Libertyville earns 2nd straight 7A title game berth*

By Matt Pera  
Sports Reporter

The Wildcats rallied around head coach Randy Kuceyeski near midfield after beating Rolling Meadows 41-25 in the IHSA state semifinals Nov. 19.

The team cheered loudly as he tried to keep the emotion of the moment in check, rubbing his eyes like a kid on Christmas morning who couldn't believe he had so many presents under the tree.

He attempted to speak a few times but his elation was lodged in his throat and made it hard to articulate.

"This is all for you Kuz!" one player yelled.

Kuceyeski looked over at him and smiled then finally mustered the ability to speak.

First, he covered his mouth and closed his eyes. Then he shouted at the top of his lungs, "We're going back to state and we're gonna win it this time!"

His excitement infected his players as they answered his declaration with an enthusiastic, "Yeaaaaah!" in unison.

After losing a double-overtime heartbreaker to Oswego last season in the Class 7A state championship game, the Wildcats (13-0) are headed back to Champaign this Saturday to face Cary-Grove (13-0) with retribution on their minds.

"It was sweet last year but it's even sweeter this year," Kuceyeski said as ecstatic Wildcats fans stormed Libertyville's field and mobbed the players. "We think it's our destiny to win it. (The players) are as locked in as anybody can be."

The Libertyville defense did their part by locking in on Rolling Meadows senior running back Andy Lange, who was held to 78 yards rushing on twenty carries. He also had 64 yards receiving, including a 19-yard touchdown catch.

Before facing the Wildcats, Lange had led the Mustangs (8-5) on a six-game winning streak with savvy backfield moves and quickness in the open field.

But Libertyville's defense stifled him though much of the game.

The Wildcats' three-headed monster of senior running backs Tom Sitz, Kyle Nader and Jeff Fontana, on the other hand, did



Photo by John Dickson

Coach Randy Kuceyeski praises the 2005 Libertyville Wildcats for their 41-25 victory over Rolling Meadows, and charges them onto victory in the upcoming IHSA Class 7A finals in Champaign.

not have too many problems.

Nader once again came up with a multi-touchdown game, rushing for 100 yards and three scores. Sitz came through with 127 yards and a touchdown, while Fontana scored once and ran for 79 yards.

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Randy Kuceyeski  
Libertyville football coach

Sitz could hardly control the thrill of the win after the game when talking about his squads rushing attack.

"We had great blocks by the entire offensive line and Jeff Fontana and..." he trailed off and a big smile crossed his face. "I'm so excited."

Rolling Meadows was able to hang with Libertyville on a slick field through much of the first half.

Mustangs quarterback Bryan Porter ran in for a score and Bryan Monson hit a 31-yard field goal, while Nader, Fontana

and Sitz each notched touchdowns to give Libertyville a 20-10 advantage at halftime.

The momentum shifted and stayed in the Wildcats favor about halfway through the third quarter when senior cornerback Kevin Burns picked off a Porter pass and took it 35 yards into the end zone. After a successful two-point conversion, Libertyville was up 28-10 and never looked back.

"We made a couple adjustments at halftime and we shut them down in the second half," Kuceyeski said. "The third quarter was huge. We got the momentum back with that interception and that was it."

Burns said his interception was representative of solid overall team defense.

"Our whole defense played great," he said. "It was just one of the standout things but everybody played so good. It's great to be back (at state)."

Lange caught his only touchdown of the game early in the fourth quarter, but it was immediately answered by a 35-yard touchdown run by Nader, making the score 35-17.

Nader got a curtain call with just over 3 minutes to go in the contest when he busted loose for a 14-yard score.

The Mustangs ended the

game with a two-yard touchdown run and two-point conversion with six seconds left to make the final score 41-25.

With most of the key players on this year's team seniors, many Wildcats remember the sting of losing to Oswego 28-21 in Champaign last season.

They have used that feeling as motivation throughout the entire season and the chance to settle the score has finally arrived.

"We've got to bring it home, that's what we know," Nader said. "The focus is to bring the state championship home."

And while Sitz admitted it was somewhat bittersweet that the win over Rolling Meadows was the last time he would play on Libertyville's home field, he said he was excited to get another shot at the state title.

"It's a great feeling," he said. "We've got to get it done now. We've got some unfinished business."

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COVERAGE

## SUPER 17

Lakeland Newspapers Sports Editor  
Rob Backus's rankings of area high school teams

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1. Libertyville
2. Stevenson
3. Warren
4. Carmel
5. Johnsbury
6. Antioch
7. Mundelein
8. N. Chicago
9. Lake Zurich
10. Waukegan
11. Lake Forest
12. Grant
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14. Wauconda
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Your team is good for one month and one month only.

Entries must be post marked by the last day of the previous month in order to enter the next month's contest. For example, October 31 is the last day to enter the November contest. You must re-enter each month. After the last game of the month is played the total amount of touchdowns scored by your six players is counted and whichever reader has the most total touchdowns wins. In the event of a tie, Lakeland will count the touchdowns of the candidate's "write-in" players. One entry per person. The October, November and December winners will go in a raffle for the Whirlyball Prize. Each runner-up will get \$25.

Lakeland Newspapers will publish a fantasy Football column each week with tips and player news. Don't forget that schedule plays a big role in which players choose. Just because someone may be the league's best player, does not necessarily mean that they will be the best player that month. And don't forget the bye weeks.

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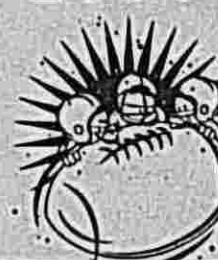
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## Cats' defensive dominance continues

By Rob Backus  
Sports Editor

With his team clinging to a 20-10 lead in the third quarter of the Class 7A semifinals against Rolling Meadows, Libertyville senior cornerback Kevin Burns deftly picked a pass out of the air and raced 35 yards for the score.

While the offense has continued to put up points at an impressive pace, it's the defense's continued playmaking ability that has catapulted the Cats to among the top teams in the state this season.

"We're just full of playmakers," said Burns, whose pick was his sixth of the season, and a school-record 10th of his career. "We're full of guys that can play offense on other teams."

Indeed, the Cats' D has put up its share of points on the season, scoring a number of defensive touchdowns, in addition to giving the offense excellent field position with timely turnovers.

"I can't say enough about this defense," senior linebacker Matt Norcia said. "We just play aggressive all the time."

The proof of Libertyville's dominance is in the numbers, as the Cats have allowed just 160 points through 13 games (12.3 average). The team has faced some of the best backs in the state, including Warren's Mitchell Moore, Antioch's Nick Nathan and Mundelein's Jake Gaebler. Not once has the unit allowed 100 yards rushing to a single player.

"We've been making offenses one-dimensional all season," head coach Randy Kuceyeski said. "We may give up some yards in the air, but teams aren't running the ball against us."

Going into the season, Kuceyeski knew his defense would have to lead the way early on, as the unit had seven returning starters, versus just one on offense, but he never knew the unit would be this good.

"The D led us early on and it hasn't stopped," Kuceyeski said. "We're putting up just as much offensively, but the defense is like night and day. We just have so much speed and experience."

The speed starts with defensive ends Michael Culbertson-Fehling and Ryne Gavigan, who broke the school-record sack total in the quarterfinals against Glenbrook North two weeks ago.

"Gavigan was a tackle last year, but with him and Fehling on the ends, they're pretty tough to get around," Kuceyeski said.

If the opposition happens to break through the line, that's where linebackers Jeff Fontana (59 tackles, sack), Norcia (52 tackles, 10.5 sacks) and Kevin Koza (49 tackles, 5 sacks) take over.

"Norcia's our leader; the toughest middle linebacker in the state," Fontana said. "It makes me so confident, having him play next to me. I love that kid."

That, according to Kuceyeski, is perhaps the biggest reason his defensive unit has been so successful.

"These guys just play together," Kuceyeski said. "There's a lot of camaraderie on this unit. They're fun to coach."

Norcia agreed, saying: "It's an honor to be thought of by Jeff like that, because he's my favorite player."

All of that gives Kuceyeski the utmost confidence in his defensive unit.

"We've been as good as any team in the state all year," Kuceyeski said.

The Cats will have a chance to prove that this weekend against Cary-Grove in the Class 7A state title game in Champaign.

# Business as usual for Cats

## Libertyville prepares for Class 7A state title game

By Matt Pera  
Sports Reporter

This season, it's going to be business as usual for the Libertyville football team.

No overnight stays in hotels, no worrying about where to go out for dinner after the game, no distractions period.

This time around, the Wildcats (13-0) will get on the bus Saturday morning to head to Champaign for the Class 7A state championship game against Cary-Grove and, when the game is over, they'll pile back on that bus and head back to Libertyville.

"I think everyone knows we have one more game to go," Libertyville head coach Randy Kuceyeski said. "We're not going down there just to show up. I think last year we were just happy to be (in the championship game) and this year that's a little different."

Last season, the Wildcats lost to Oswego 28-21 in double overtime in the state championship game. Kuceyeski admitted the team was a bit star-struck by the idea of playing at Memorial Stadium. They stayed overnight at a hotel and soaked in the postseason atmosphere.

Now the team, composed mainly of seniors, is not enamored with the title game.

Kuceyeski said the Wildcats are focused on doing the same things that have made them successful all year long.

Libertyville's offense has racked up 4,758 yards of total offense this year behind a stout offensive line and a three-pronged rushing attack that features senior running backs Jeff Fontana, Tom Sitz, and Kyle Nader, who tallied a record-breaking 25 touchdowns this year.

Cary-Grove head coach Bruce Kay has seen film of Nader, Sitz and Fontana in action and said he knows if his team has any shot at winning, they need to figure out how to stop the Wildcats' potent "Wing-T" offense.

"They're an excellent offensive team," he said. "They take advantage of the entire field, and not only are the three backs (Nader, Fontana and Sitz) very good, the quarterback (Brett Lancaster) we have to keep an eye on as well. So they're actually a four-back team."

The Trojans' quarterback, senior Brian Mitz, isn't too bad himself.

Against Chicago Public League powerhouse Morgan Park (12-1) in the semifinal game, Mitz led the team to victory with a 60-yard touchdown run with just over three min-

utes left in the fourth quarter. The ensuing two-point conversion made the final score 21-14.

It was nothing new for Mitz, who has passed for 1,186 yards and 11 touchdowns, while rushing for 1,100 yards and 17 more scores this season.

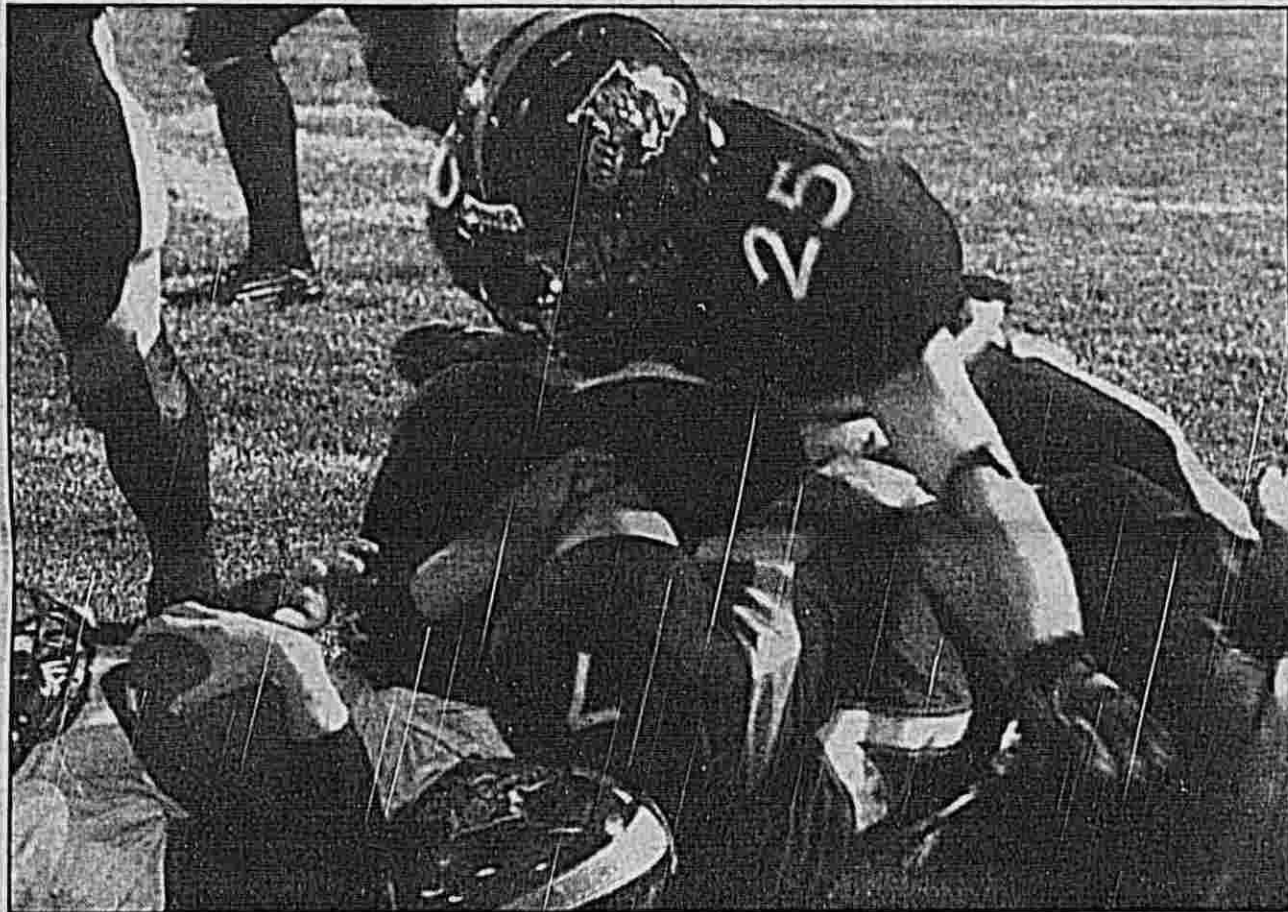
Kay said his squad's strong showing against a very athletic Morgan Park team gives the Trojans confidence against Libertyville's quickness on both sides of the ball.

"We think we have a very fast defense," he said. "We also know (Libertyville's) backs have been running wild against some very good football teams."

Kuceyeski said the Wildcats defense will key in on Mitz as well as Trojans senior fullback Will Yocius, who has run for 1,210 yards and nine touchdowns this year.

As far as his own squad, Kuceyeski said the only team that can beat the Wildcats now is themselves.

"Really, all throughout the whole year, the only team that held us back was ourselves," he said. "We did more to hurt ourselves and the kids know that. As long as we realize that and have fun we should come back with a win."



Kevin Burns, a Libertyville High School senior, crashes on top to complete the tackle started by John Kuceyeski, also a senior, as they work to claim a Libertyville victory over Rolling Meadows.

## Libertyville Wildcats Roster

1	Lamar Lark	WR	5-7	135	Sr.
2	Joey Bowen	RB	5-9	150	So.
4	Brett Lancaster	QB	6-3	205	Sr.
5	Craig Birch	RB	6-0	190	Jr.
6	Tom Sitz	HB	5-10	175	Sr.
7	John Kuceyeski	S	5-10	185	Sr.
10	Matt Partain	K	6-1	165	Sr.
11	Ryan Kennedy	QB	6-1	185	So.
12	Vince Gilbert	DE	6-3	185	Jr.
13	Eric Cusek	RB	5-7	160	Jr.
14	Zalib Kurishy	DB	5-9	175	Jr.
17	Matt Norcia	LB	6-0	205	Sr.
21	Ryne Gavigan	DE	6-0	203	Sr.
22	Kevin Koza	LB	5-11	208	Jr.
23	Matthew O'Connor	DB	6-0	170	Jr.
24	David Romito	DB	5-10	180	Sr.
25	Kevin Burns	DB	6-0	190	Sr.
27	Kevin Robertson	DB	5-10	160	Jr.
28	Shaun Cummins	DB	6-4	185	Jr.
30	Kyle Nader	RB	6-1	196	Sr.
31	Kevin Foley	DB	6-1	185	Jr.
32	Jeff Fontana	RB	6-0	190	Sr.
34	Ryan Laine	DB	6-3	175	Jr.
35	Greg Larsen	DL	6-0	230	Sr.
36	Stephen Revis	DB	6-1	175	Sr.
40	Josh Albers	RB	5-11	155	So.
41	Nick Windmiller	LB	5-7	185	Sr.
42	E.J. Sindles	DB	6-0	160	Jr.
44	Tim Carlson	DE	6-1	168	Sr.
46	Randy Gifford	LB	5-11	180	Jr.
47	Andrew Carman	LB	5-10	185	Sr.
50	Bobby Covek	DL	5-11	200	Jr.
51	Jack Danilkowicz	OL	6-2	250	Jr.
52	Matt Dawd	DL	5-9	242	So.
53	Gus Gountanis	DL	6-0	240	Jr.
54	Andrew Knollenberg	DE	6-1	175	Jr.
55	Nick Nikolich	LB	6-0	190	Jr.
56	Pat Engle	OL	5-11	220	Sr.
57	Nick Szodym	DL	6-2	205	Sr.
60	Curt Pritchard	OL	6-1	220	Jr.
61	Brian Lasplisa	OL	5-11	190	Sr.
62	Andrew Mitchell	OL	5-11	215	Sr.
63	Sean Morgan	DL	6-0	190	Sr.
64	Alec Rahe	DL	6-0	200	Sr.
65	John Priestedt	DL	6-2	200	Jr.
66	Todd Labrum	DL	6-3	225	Sr.
67	Brad Hansen	OL	5-9	200	So.
68	Eric Pickell	OL	6-3	270	Sr.
70	Anthony Splinabella	DL	6-0	245	Jr.
71	Matt Szodym	OL	6-3	215	So.
72	Kyle Rhoades	OL	5-8	215	Sr.
73	David Moosman	OL	6-5	280	Sr.
74	Nick Kreitman	OL	6-3	220	Sr.
75	Bill Saxelby	OL	6-5	208	Jr.
76	Jim Pahl	OL	5-6	201	Sr.
77	Matt Carlin	OL	6-2	260	Sr.
78	Mike Covek	DL	6-3	245	Jr.
80	Matt Lewis	WR	5-10	165	Jr.
81	Michael Culbertson-Fehling	DE	6-4	215	Jr.
82	Jack Howard	WR	6-2	215	Jr.
84	Carson Swan	TE	6-3	205	Sr.
86	Chris Sung	DL	6-9	240	Sr.
88	J.P. Kenley	WR	6-0	180	Sr.
	Ryan Abaj	DL	6-0	210	So.
	Bobby Boatman	RB	6-0	180	So.
	Sebastian Coates	LB	5-10	161	So.
	David Derosa	WR	6-0	170	So.
	Chris Duenas	DE	5-7	230	So.
	Foti Prangos	OL	5-9	235	So.
	Ethan Gaus	DL	5-10	180	So.
	Chris Key	LB	5-11	170	So.
	Perry Sanders	DB	5-7	151	So.
	Joey Letchford	OL	5-10	190	So.
	Robert Marti	DL	5-11	208	So.
	Adam Saxton	DB	5-8	145	So.
	Tanner Schmidt	DB	5-10	140	So.
	Kyle Welland	WR	5-11	145	So.
	Sean Werchek	DB	6-2	153	So.
	Nick Wilcox	DE	6-1	170	So.
	Nate Windmiller	QB	5-9	145	So.
	Dave Winn	LB	5-9	163	So.

## Cary-Grove Trojans Roster

3	Blake Kube	RB-DL	6-1	205	Sr.
4	Matt Kunz	RB-DB	5-9	152	Sr.
6	Billy Meyer	QB-DB	5-11	171	So.
7	Brian Mitz	QB-DB	6-2	180	Sr.
8	Cory Krupp	WR-DB	6-1	159	Jr.
9	Pat Ryan	RB-DB	6-0	150	Jr.
11	Brad Nelsen	QB-LB	6-0	162	Sr.
12	Adam Pilli	RB-DB	5-11	172	Sr.
20	Andrew Lorman	RB-DB	6-1	180	So.
21	Dan Lauritzen	WR-DB	5-11	144	Sr.
22	Don Hansen	K	6-0	164	Sr.
23	Nick Nenni	WR-DB	5-10	141	Jr.
24	Andrew Bures	RB-LB	5-10	184	Sr.
25	Joe O'Brien	RB-DB	5-8	148	Jr.
27	Alex Kube	FB-DB	6-0	176	So.
28	Dillion Cappello	WR-DB	6-1	163	So.
29	Jake Mitmoen	RB-DB	5-9	140	So.
30	Kyle Tichy	FB-LB	5-9	149	Jr.
31	Dave Hoffman	WR-DB	5-8	134	So.
32	Mike Gleason	QB-DB	5-11	137	So.
33	Max Hembry	RB-LB	5-10	153	So.
34	Kevin Passaglia	FB-LB	6-3	200	Jr.
35	Dan McDonald	WR-DB	5-9	120	So.
36	Will Yocius	FB-LB	6-0	215	Sr.
37	IT Kuykendall	TE-LB	5-9	185	Sr.
40	Don Schroeder	FB-LB	5-9	157	So.
41	Mike Janik	FB-LB	5-11	174	So.
42	IT Turner	TE-DL	6-3	173	Jr.
43	Jeremy Rogala	RB-DB	5-7	135	So.
44	Drake Miller	RB-LB	6-1	164	So.
45	John Mago	RB-LB	5-9	158	So.
46	Andrew Kunz	RB-DB	5-8	133	So.
47	Joey Hudek	RB-DB	5-5	130	So.
48	Scott Rine	WR-DB	5-8	116	So.
50	Nathan Carlson	RB-LB	5-10	149	So.
51	Dustin Bandu	WR-DB	6-0	155	So.
52	Josh Thompson	OL-DL	5-9	222	So.
53	Tim Bock	OL-DL	6-0	221	Fr.
54	DJ Gaddis	OL-LB	5-11	200	So.
55	Brandt Miller	OL-DL	6-0	174	So.
56	Brian Montemurro	OL-DL	6-1	183	So.
57	Stefan Goray	OL-DL	6-4	205	Jr.
58	Isaac Serrano	OL-DL	5-6	188	Jr.
59	Vince Fillip	OL-DL	5-11	282	Sr.
60	Tony Clalabrini	OL-DL	6-0	205	Jr.
61	Dan Cichy	OL-DL	6-0	212	Jr.
62	Jake Rands	OL-DL	6-0	209	Jr.
64	Alex Stark	OL-DL	6-0	200	Jr.
65	Chris Nagomy	OL-DL	5-10	179	So.
66	Jon Tarnowski	OL-DL	5-11	179	So.
67	Jon Plettrini	OL-DL	5-8	194	Jr.
68	Joe Mingo	OL-DL	5-11	191	Sr.
69	George Perina	OL-DL	6-1	280	Fr.
70	Nathan Lochner	OL-DL	5-10	209	So.
71	Dan Wilson	OL-DL	5-10	228	So.
72	Ryan Brykowski	OL-DL	5-10	221	Jr.
73	Anthony Kugler	OL-DL	6-1	198	Jr.
74	Mike Yocius	OL-DL	6-2	270	Fr.
75	Brad Gegan	OL-DL	5-11	235	So.
76	Ray Anderson	OL-DL	6-1	220	Sr.
77	Steve Vnney	OL-DL	6-4	211	Jr.
78	Nick Chaney	OL-DL	6-2	284	So.
79	Drew Liedtke	OL-DL	6-2	241	Jr.
80	Brandin Austin	WR-DB	5-9	126	So.
81	Steve Fletcher	WR-DB	5-7	142	Sr.
82	Andrew Polyack	WR-DB	6-1	143	So.
83	Tom Oswald	TE-LB	6-6	210	Sr.
84	John Quinn	TE-LB	6-1	175	So.
88	Keith Dencker	TE-DL	6-3	201	So.

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## ANTIOCH

"We've had a few setbacks so far but we're confident that we'll have things in place in time for regionals."

Don Zeman  
Antioch girls' hoops coach



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# Sequoits will learn on the job

By John Phelps

Lakeland Correspondent

**T**hey don't have the inside presence from last year's team.

Leading scorer and rebounder Jennie Dewar (16 points, 9 boards per game) has graduated and is showcasing her talents at CLC. Senior Kate Hofeldt has opted to concentrate on club volleyball with the hopes of earning a scholarship next year. And junior Jessica McWilliams was injured in an auto accident but hopes to return soon.

"We're definitely a smaller team than in year's past," said head coach Don Zeman. "Our priority then was to go inside and then outside. But now, we'll have to reverse that. We need to get better on our outside shooting and pick up the slack on our rebounding because we don't have that inside presence."

Zeman said the defense should be solid.

"We want to be attached defensively," the coach said. "We need to be quick to the ball and force as many turnovers as possible."

So far, it's been somewhat of a bumpy road in the early going as the ladies are currently 0-4 overall. That includes an 0-3 mark in the Dundee-Crown Thanksgiving tournament. Antioch will play the final game of the event against Lake Zurich on Nov. 24 at 7 p.m.

Seniors Loren Scarbrough and Gina Florian, along with junior Holly Roberts, have all led the way as far as offensive production is concerned, having tallied around 6 points per game through the first four contests.

The 5-foot, 8-inch Scarbrough makes her return after missing all of last season when she tore her ACL in the very first game.

Zeman said she, along with Roberts and 5-9 junior Angie Axton would help immensely in the paint, both offensively and defensively.

"Loren is coming along but still isn't 100 percent, and Angie and Holly will be major contributors as well for us this year," Zeman said.

Senior guard Salina Spiller also adds quickness and her outside shooting. She, Florian, Roberts, Spiller, McWilliams and Scarbrough are the only players back with any varsity experience.

Zeman said sophomore Kyle Sisler, a 5-9 post player, had a strong summer and continues to improve. She was one of the leaders on the sophomore squad last year, as was junior 5-5 point guard Ashley Fain, who has netted just over 4 point per ballgame to this point.

"She'll go through a few growing pains," Zeman said. "But she plays good defense and is a fighter. We'll need her to take care of the ball and we're confident that she will."

As for the season, the coach is very well aware of what lies ahead.

"We're looking to be competitive," he said. "The NSC Lake division is so strong from top to bottom. We want to try and get all of the pieces in place so we can finish strong and make a run at a regional title."

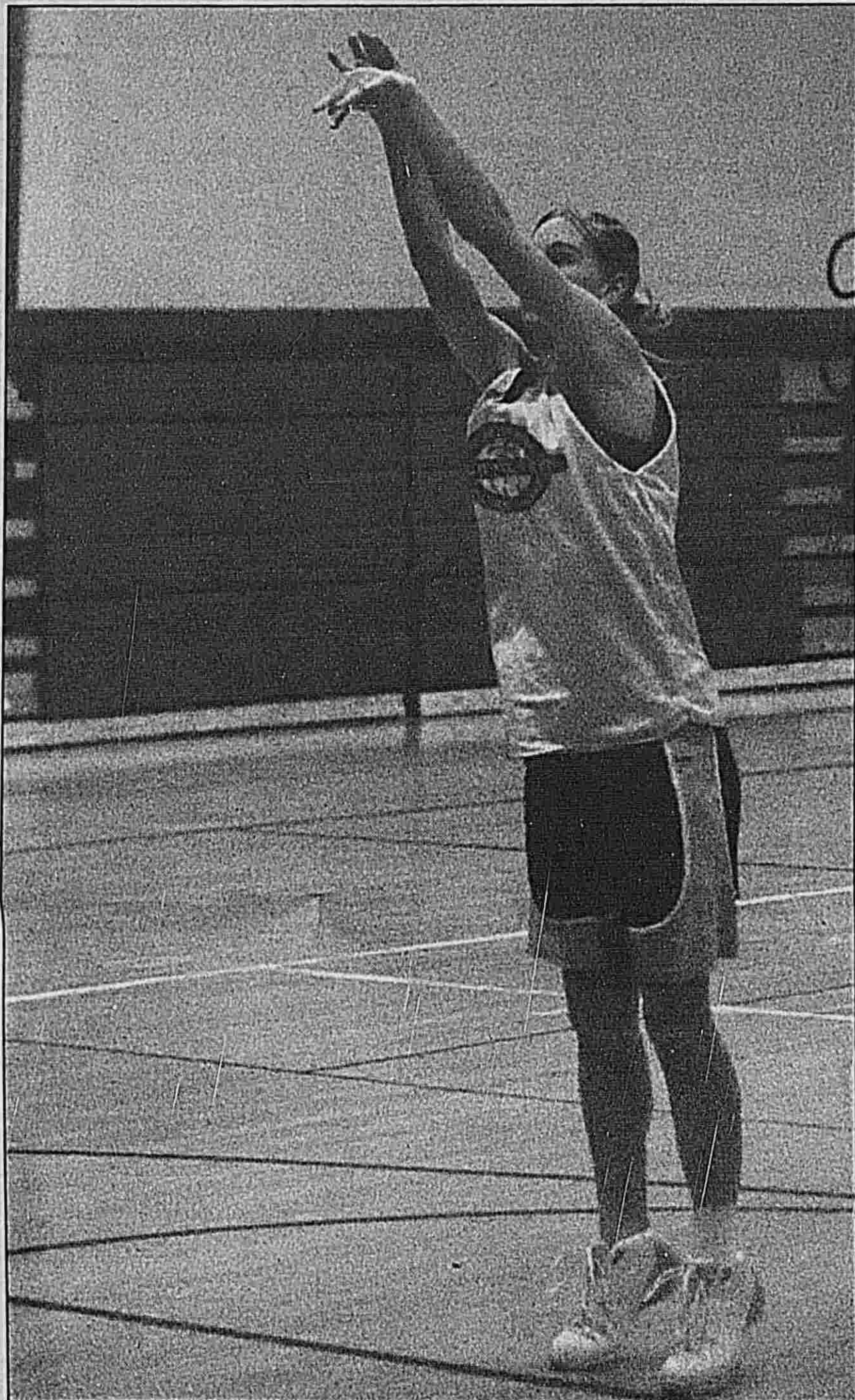


Photo by Steve Young

Members of the Antioch Community High School girls' hoops team compete in a practice last week.

Last year, Antioch played its best ball down the stretch before losing a thriller to Grayslake in the Grayslake regional title game. Overall, they finished 14-15 and 1-9 in the

Lake division.

"We've had a few setbacks so far but we're confident that we'll have things in place in time for regionals," Zeman said.

## PREPFILES



Loren Scarbrough

**A**s all torn ACL injuries go, so does the intense rehab that usually follows.

Such was the case for Loren Scarbrough, who spent nine months of rigorous rehabilitation, all in an effort to play and make this, her senior campaign, a good one.

Scarbrough torn her anterior cruciate ligament in her left leg trying to save a ball from going out of bounds in the very first game last season. It was hard for her, let alone anyone, to swallow.

"It was difficult sitting on the bench and not being able to play," the 5-foot-8 inch guard converted to post player said. "But at least I was there and still a part of it."

Well, this season she is almost back to 100 percent and yes, she's definitely a "part of" this year's team.

"I worked hard over the summer, just to get my leg strength back," Scarbrough said. "I did a lot of quad and hamstring exercises—that was just a part of the physical therapy."

Scarbrough is certainly no stranger to the game, having played competitively since fifth-grade when she lived in Pittsburgh.

Her travels brought her to Antioch at the start of her seventh-grade year when she played for Antioch Upper Grade School.

As for the season, Scarbrough knows the challenges that lie ahead, both for herself and the team.

"I think we have a deeper bench and a lot of our players are interchangeable and capable of pulling the trigger at any time," she said. "Any one of our players can shoot and is capable of pulling the trigger at any time."

Scarbrough and running mate Gina Florian serves as captains for this year's Lady Sequoits. —By John Phelps

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## CARMEL

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## Corsairs pass early tests

By Rob Backus

Sports Editor

**P**rior to the season, Carmel coach John Ryan knew his team's first week of play would be a big test.

And after starting the season 4-0, including wins over Marshall, Immaculate Heart of Mary and New Trier, Ryan knows his team has passed with flying colors.

"I'm just thrilled with this start," Ryan said. "The kids are playing with a lot of confidence right now."

After passing Caitlin Krombach's career-scoring mark in the season opener, senior Jenny Eckhart had a heck of an encore performance in the home opener against Marshall on Thursday. She poured in a game-high 30 points as Carmel prevailed 52-45 in overtime.

"We were setting a lot of good picks on offense and they (Marshall) weren't ready," said Eckhart, who connected on five treys in the contest.

Eckhart was hot early with 11 first-quarter points, including three from behind the arc, as Carmel took a 15-10 lead after the opening quarter.

The team took a 19-12 lead early in the second quarter on a bucket from Kelly Gleason (9 points), but Marshall stormed back with a 10-5 run to cut the lead to 24-22 at half-time.

The game went back-and-forth throughout much of the second half, and with the game tied at 43-43, Keli Coleman was fouled with 1.7 seconds left and had two free throws attempts to give Carmel the win.

However, she missed badly on both attempts to send the game into overtime. But Eckhart and Teresa Ogrinc (8 points) wouldn't let the Corsairs quit, scoring all seven of the team's overtime points to give Carmel the win.

"We couldn't get down after those missed free throws," Eckhart said. "We just tried to stay up and it worked."

With less than 24 hours turnaround, Carmel took on IHM the next night and the fatigue was obvious as the Corsairs fell behind 18-10 early in the third quarter.

"The kids were tired from the night before and we underestimated them," Ryan said.

But, once again, the team refused to quit, outscoring IHM 18-0 the rest of the game to win 28-18.

"We really cranked up our defense in the second half," Ryan said.

The next night, Carmel was forced to take on one of the best teams in the state, New Trier, and won 52-46. Eckhart led the team with 17 points and Ogrinc added 16 for the Corsairs.

"No one expected us to even be in the game," Ryan said. "But now the kids have the confidence to know that if they can do that to



Photo by John Dickson

**Jenny Eckhart, a Carmel senior, grabs for the ball while the Corsairs battled with the Commandos from John Marshall Metro High School.**

New Trier, they can do it to anyone."

With several players returning from last year's 27-4 squad, Ryan knows his team is potentially poised for some big things this season.

"We're not overpowering but we have a lot of experience," Ryan said. "The kids play hard and with confidence. There's no one in the state we can't beat. The possibilities are endless."

## PREP PROFILES



Jenny Eckhart

**A**s an assistant coach at St. Joseph High in Westchester, Carmel coach John Ryan had an opportunity to see Hall of Fame point guard Isiah Thomas.

And he sees some of Thomas in Carmel senior Jenny Eckhart.

"She's a very unselfish player," Ryan said. "But when the game's on the line, she wants the ball in her hands and she's able to finish it."

But that's something that was a little tough on Eckhart early on.

"I've had to take games over before, so I know I can do it," Eckhart said. "But I like everyone to be involved, so it's a little nerve-racking at times."

Eckhart, along with graduated star Caitlin Krombach, helped finish plenty of games for the Corsairs last season, as the team finished with a school-record 27 wins. Eckhart averaged 17 points per game last season, earning a scholarship to Syracuse University in the process.

And Ryan expects more this season. "She's one of the best players I've ever coached," Ryan said. "She could average 27 points per game if she was selfish, but she likes to make everyone better."

"It's so important for everyone on the team to be involved," Eckhart said. "When they are, we're a much better team."

In the season opener, Eckhart passed Krombach's total of 1,326 career points to become the leading scorer in school history.

"I didn't even know I was that close, but I was excited when someone told me," Eckhart said. "It's a milestone. Hopefully it will lead to more for my team and myself."

There she goes again, putting her team first.

"We have great team chemistry and it's because of her," Ryan said. —  
By Rob Backus

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"A lot will depend on staying together, being good teammates and believing in themselves."

Tom Oeffling  
Grant girls' basketball coach



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# Bulldogs seek another solid season

By Steve Peterson

Sports Reporter

**G**rant High's girls basketball team is ready to make it two straight 20-win seasons.

A switch in the early-season schedule should make the Bulldogs more battle-tested in February and the conference season. Grant is at the Deerfield Thanksgiving tournament after winning at Harvard the last few years.

"It makes it easier for coach Dan Dunlavy and myself to say something that needs to be done differently when you are playing tougher competition and not winning by 43 points," said coach Tom Oeffling. "We have a lot of pretty good athletes. They are just so scrappy."

Danielle Eiler, 5-8, leads the returnees as a senior. "She runs the floor well. She is tireless, never stops. Even when we take water breaks, she would be out there shooting. She can lead a break and drive to the basket," Oeffling said.

Eiler averaged about 8 points per game last year.

Ashley Arff, a junior, is back after a 7 points per game season.

Cassie Newton, who saw a lot of playing time, returns.

"We have some competitive practices. They go out after each other. We're pretty balanced, with not one top scorer," Oeffling said.

Trista Munster and her sister, Kaela, both suffered knee injuries this offseason. Trista was expected to be ready for the season opener against Highland Park, but Kaela may not play until December.

"A lot will depend on staying together, being good teammates and believing in themselves. They need to demonstrate to the coaches that they should be on the floor," the coach said.

Grant High's girls basketball team had a memorable year, as the Bulldogs once again marked the 20-win plateau at 20-8.

Seniors Shannon Gustafson and Claire Glass were named all-North Suburban Conference while Arff was named honorable mention.

"I was quite pleased with the year. We won the Harvard Tournament for the fourth year in a row, tied for first at McHenry for the second straight year and was second in the Prairie Division," Oeffling said.

The team's statistics would need a math major to find the differences between the equally talented and determined Bulldogs.

Gustafson was the scoring leader at 8.2 points per game. Right behind were Glass at 8.0, Arff at 7.8, Eiler with 7.5 and sophomore Kaela Munster's 7.2. Richards led in rebounds with 5.1 points per game, followed by Glass at 5.0 and Eiler at 4.7. Hurley led the team in assists.

"Gustafson and Glass made a great impact on the girls program. They were always seeking to increase their skills, even in the last week of their careers," Oeffling said of the Co-MVP winners.



Photo by Sandy Bressner

Grant Community High School varsity girls basketball players scrimmage during a pre-season practice.

Arff will be counted on as a leader next year as she will be, along with Munster and Eiler, the experienced players.

"Ashley will have to be a leader both vocally and on the floor," Oeffling said.

A late-season surge after a loss to Libertyville saw Grant reach the 20-win mark. Grant lost three heartbreakers at the end, to North Chicago and Zion-Benton for the NSC Prairie title and in overtime to Stevenson at Lake Zurich.

Grant's sophomores were 22-2 and the freshman squad went unbeaten.

The varsity averaged 55 points per game and surrendered 39 points per contest.

"We don't have any flashy players like Lacey Simpson at Zion-Benton or Kayla Ming at Grayslake, but we have a solid team," Oeffling said.

Grant High regrouped for strong three quarters of play to post a 64-44 win over Glenbrook North at the Deerfield Tournament.

Arff led the Bulldogs with 15 points, while

Gonyo had 14 and Eiler 12.

The Bulldogs had lost to Lake Forest 50-37 in the tourney's first round. "They out everything-ed us. It showed that we have a lot to improve on," said Grant coach Tom Oeffling of the Lake Forest game.

"The defense was better in the second half against Glenbrook North. We were able to convert on some easy lay-ups," he said.

Arff had the lone three-pointer in the Friday win. "It is something that she is working on," Oeffling said.

Having someone step up and take charge as the point guard is a key for the 2-1 Bulldogs.

Grant beat Highland Park 57-44, led by Arff and Eiler, and the two teams played again for the second time this early season in the tournament.

Arff had 18 points and Eiler 23 on nine field goals in the season opener. Newton, a senior guard, chipped in with eight. Grant scored 35 second-half points to pull away.

Place games are slated for Nov. 26 and 27 at Deerfield.

## PREPROFILES



Ashley Arff

**A**shley Arff may have been somewhat of an unknown factor when she made the varsity team as a freshman two years ago.

Unknown, that is, unless you were from Fox Lake or Ingleside. "She has been playing basketball since third grade. She played as a center, all positions," said her dad, Ray Arff. She burst onto the scene her freshman year, when Grant beat Cary-Grove in the Grayslake regional.

Playing for all-star teams from Geneva to Carmel High's youth program and on a conference-winning team at Taveirne Middle School, the Grant High junior has hundreds of basketball games. As a seventh grader, she played on the eighth grade team, etc. Her dad, Ray, coaches several Grant Township Area Athletic Association, hoops teams over the years. Arff will play for a Bannockburn team this summer.

She played against the likes of University of Iowa player Johanna Solverson her summer before her freshman year, and other Lake County standouts. This year, she has scored 18 and 15 points in Grant's 2-1 start. Grant beat Highland Park 57-44 and Glenbrook North 63-44 at the Deerfield tournament, but lost to Lake Forest 50-37.

Arff also plays volleyball, contributing to a 20-win season, a Prairie Division title and a postseason win.

"I have always enjoyed playing basketball whenever I can. I like to play against the boys, when they said I couldn't do it," Ashley Arff said. "If my dad has open gym for fifth graders, I will come in and help out."

Volleyball season went well for Arff, who was named All-NSC all-academic. "We played the season for Liz Willding," she said.

She has played hoops with friends Danielle Eiler (23 points vs. Highland Park, 12 vs. Glenbrook North) and Chris Totten since the Big Hollow days and before.

Arff also is on the track team at Grant. —By Steve Peterson

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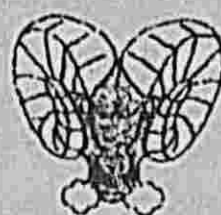


# GRAYSLAKE

"I really enjoy the attitude of this team. We just can't keep doing the same things we've done to start the season."

Mike Hirsch  
Grayslake girls' hoops coach

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## Rams enter rebuilding mode

By Rob Backus  
Sports Editor

Last season Grayslake coach Mike Hirsch knew what he had before his team ever even took the court for the first game of the season. And what he had was a 30-win team that advanced to the Elite Eight for the first time in school history.

But graduation was hard on the Rams, as the team returns just two players from last year's squad that went 30-4. Among the graduated is star player Kayla Ming, the school's all-time leading scorer, who is now playing at Valparaiso University.

So instead of filling in a hole here or there, Hirsch is simply feeling out his team in the early going.

"I'm just trying to get a feel for the direction this team can go," Hirsch said. "Early on there's going to be some questions."

The growing pains any young team tends to experience have been evident early on as the Rams have struggled out of the gate with an 0-3 record, including a 65-33 loss to Warren as part of the Buffalo Grove Bison Classic.

Lauren Trentadue kept Grayslake in the game early with six first-quarter points, but the Devils kept pouring it on in the second quarter, eventually going on a 25-4 run to take a 35-10 lead at halftime.

The Rams committed over 30 turnovers in the game, failing several times to even advance the ball past half court.

"I know in our system we'll have turnovers, but we can't have that many," Hirsch said. "Warren just pressured the ball real well."

According to Hirsch, the turnovers are indicative of the team's lack of solid guards to start the season.

"Our guard play has got to be better," Hirsch said. "Last year, just about everyone played a guard spot, but this year we have more forwards. If you can't handle the ball, you're in trouble and that's why we're struggling."

One of the only bright spots against Warren was the play of University of Southern Mississippi-bound senior Rachael Manuel, who scored 12 of her team-high 16 points in the third quarter in an attempt to keep her team in the game.

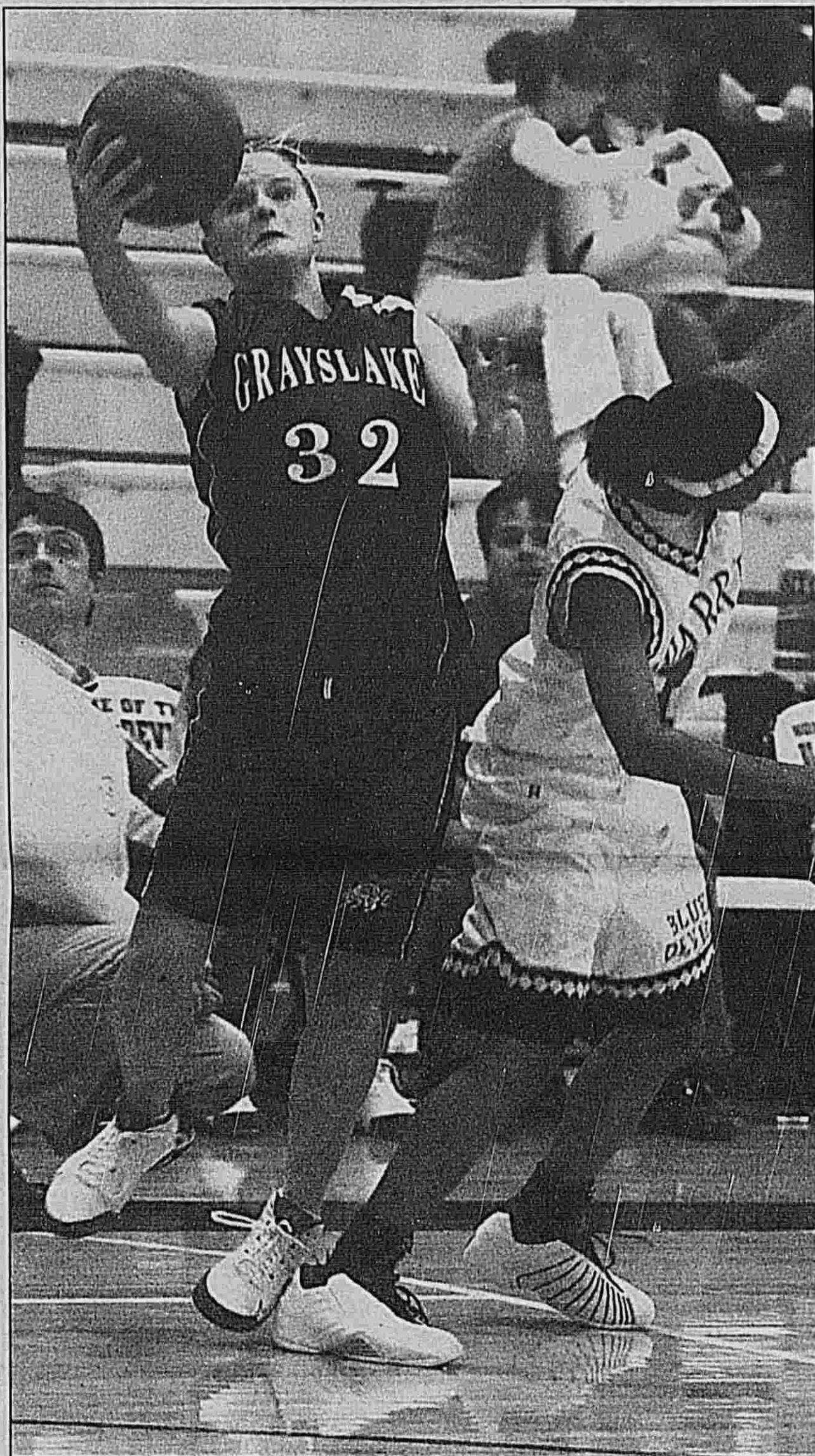
"I liked the way Rachael came out in the second half," Hirsch said. "We need her to play like that every game."

But allowing 60-plus points, something the Rams did only three times last year, is something that the team cannot continue to do on a consistent basis.

"We haven't stopped anyone on defense," Hirsch said. "We're going to make some adjustments."

Despite the poor start to the season, Hirsch feels the pieces are in place for a solid season.

"The potential is there to be a winning ball club," Hirsch said. "I really enjoy the attitude of this team. We just can't keep doing the same things we've done to start the season."



Grayslake High School's Kara Ming grabs a pass during a game against Warren during the Buffalo Grove Bison Classic tournament at Warren's Almond Road Campus.

Photo by Sandy Bressner

### PREPFILES



Lauren Trentadue

For at least a moment last year, Grayslake's Lauren Trentadue knew what it was like to be Michael Jordan.

Playing in a close game against Glenbrook South in the Loyola Supersectional, Trentadue, a freshman at the time, hit a key shot down the stretch to help her team reach the Elite Eight for the first time in school history.

"When you're on the floor, you're not thinking to yourself that it was a big shot, but people were coming up to me in the halls and telling me how huge that was," Trentadue said.

But that shot just confirmed that Grayslake coach Mike Hirsch made the right decision in bringing up Trentadue to the varsity squad.

Initially, Trentadue was taken aback by the decision.

"I was really shocked when they chose me," Trentadue said. "I hadn't even thought of playing varsity as a freshman. But it was an honor. I had a lot of fun."

There was also something else involved in the decision, according to Hirsch.

"We knew she had the right mentality," Hirsch said. "We asked a lot of her as a freshman, and she kind of hit a wall at the middle of the season, but she really picked it up at the end."

And Hirsch will be asking even more of Trentadue this season. As just one of two returning players from last year's team, along with senior Rachael Manuel, Trentadue has already been picked as a captain.

"She's gone from being a follower to a leader, but that's high school sports," Hirsch said. "And she's willing to do whatever's asked of her."

Trentadue welcomes the challenge.

"It's a lot of pressure being a leader even though I'm one of the youngest people on the team," Trentadue said. "It's a little weird, but since I have the most experience, I have to do it." —By Rob Backus

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Amy Holtsford  
Libertyville girls' hoops coach



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# Cats look to reach potential

By Matt Pera  
Sports Reporter

**L**istening to Libertyville girls head basketball coach Amy Holtsford run through the first few games on her team's schedule, one would almost think she was reciting the Illinois AP Top 20.

"We played New Trier; we played Prospect, we play Loyola that's another top-5 team in the state," she said. "After that we play Carmel, that's another top-5 team in the state, after that we play Marshall, that's another one."

But she wouldn't have it any other way.

"We're optimistic about how we can learn from this tough competition," she said. "We've talked about how, if we have losses early, we're not going to lose the lesson in the losses. I'm very confident that we can do some great things this year."

The tough competition won't end when the team gets into North Suburban Conference Lake Division play, as teams like Mundelein and Warren return nearly all of their starters.

The Wildcats, on the other hand, have only one returning starter from last year's 14-14 squad—senior shooting guard Jamie Freese, who has led the team in scoring thus far in the young season.

Three more players return from last year's team in 5-10 senior forward Annie Lubicky, 6-1 senior center Carolyn Kozak and 5-5 senior guard Sammie Balmes.

But Libertyville lost the core of last season's starting lineup, with 6-2 center Christine Haber, 5-7 point guard Christi Schneider and 5-11 forward Cassie Satala.

"So in comparison from last year to this year, people would think that this was a rebuilding year for us," Holtsford said. "And in some aspects it is. But in other aspects we have a lot of talent and the coaches are trying to do the best to mold that talent."

Six of the ten players on Libertyville this year are newcomers, including 5-10 junior guard/forward Kelli Goodwin, 6-1 sophomore forward Kali Feiereisel and 5-8 junior guard Molly Kent.

Holtsford added that every member of the team has been a solid contributor in the early going.

"We've had pretty balanced playing time, so I can't say that one person is over another," she said. "It's still so early in the season so we're going to see how the team meshes and fits together."

Despite such a young team, Holtsford said she has impressed with the Wildcats thus far.

"I think we have a lot of players who are competitive and push each other and it's been a joy to be in practice," she said. "I've thoroughly enjoyed working with this group of ten."

Holtsford said the team's objective is to improve throughout the season and play to the fullest of its ability.

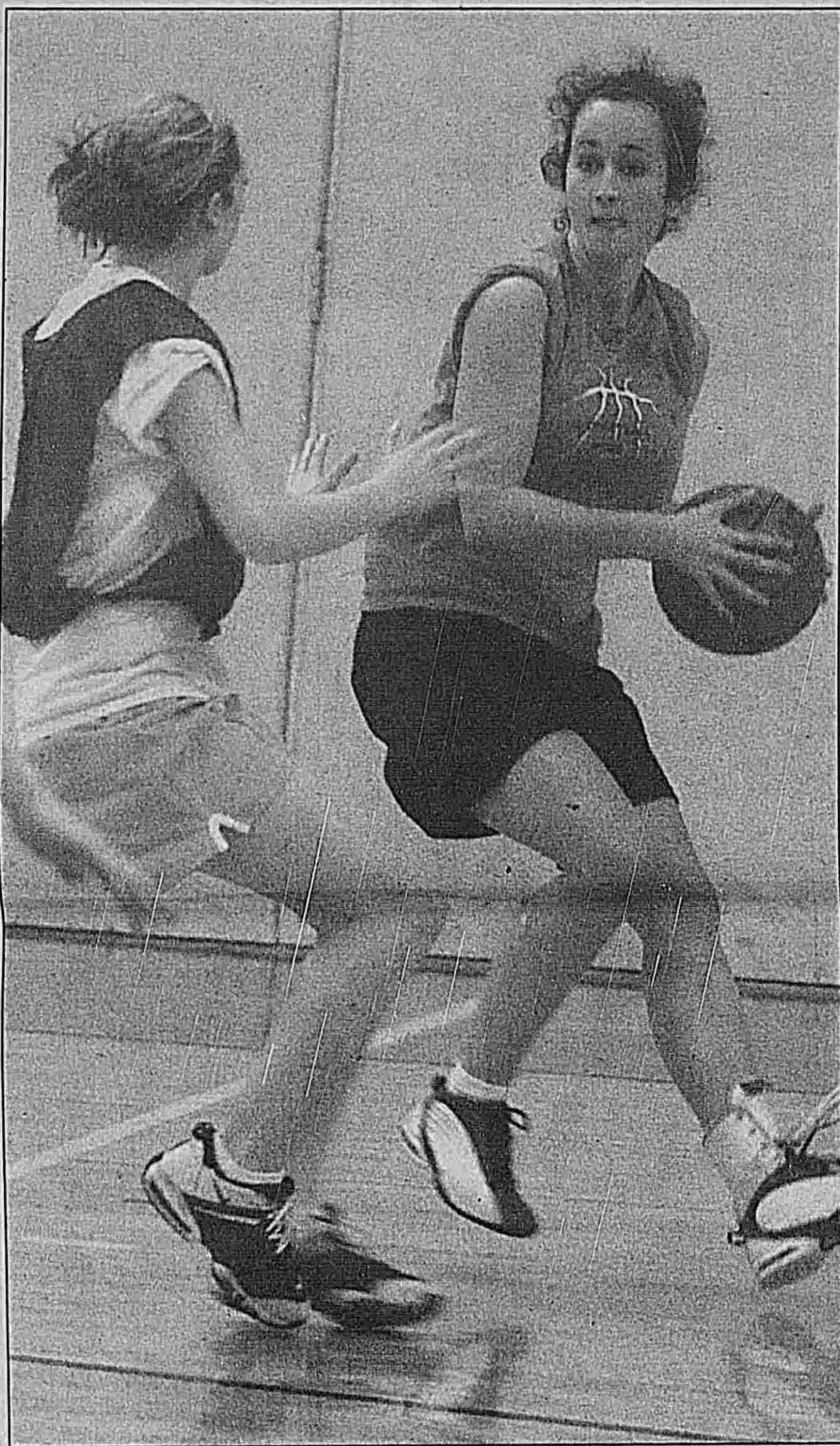


Photo by Sandy Bressner

Libertyville High School girls varsity basketball players scrimmage during a preseason practice.

"My goals have very little to do with the win-loss record," she said. "My goals have to

do with whether or not we are able to achieve our potential."

## PREPFILES



Jamie Freese

**L**ibertyville senior Jamie Freese has not gotten much of a chance to rest during this school year.

She was a starter on the Wildcats girls volleyball team that lost in the sectional championship to Lake Zurich Nov. 4. After losing that match, the three-hour long practices and after-school games were over.

But as soon as the volleyball nets came down, the basketball hoops were lowered from the ceiling. Just one day after the volleyball season ended, Freese traded in the spandex for a pair of baggy shorts and was practicing with the basketball team.

Freese said that, while the transition from volleyball to basketball is initially difficult, she's settling into her new role as the Wildcats' starting shooting guard.

"The first practice is always the toughest, getting used to everything," she said. "But getting through the first practice, and after playing the first game (against Prospect), I feel like I have my rhythm."

Her progress has been evident on the offensive end, where she has led the team in scoring through the first three games.

Head coach Amy Holtsford said Freese had the most varsity experience on the team last season, which has placed the senior in a leadership role.

"She works hard and she leads by example," Holtsford said. "She is not a very vocal player but players know that she works hard and she knows that the team is the focus, instead of individual accolades."

And Freese said that this year's guard-heavy squad is similar to the volleyball team, making up for the lack of size with intensity.

"We just need to play tough even though we may be small," she said. "It's kind of similar to volleyball because we weren't a big team and we still did pretty well." —By Matt Pera

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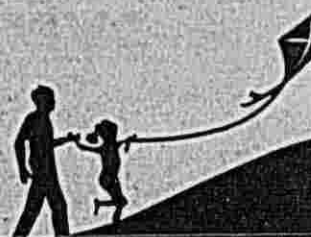
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# MUNDELEIN

"We've come into the season knowing that we need to show up to practice everyday ready to work."

Sarah Miller  
Mundelein senior guard

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## Mustangs seeking out 'the next level'

By Matt Pera

Sports Reporter

**T**he Mundelein girls basketball team has a straightforward slogan this season—"The next level."

After posting a 19-10 record last year and losing to Grayslake in the sectional semifinals, the Mustangs core returns intact and hopes to get them there.

All five starters are back, all of them are seniors, and all of them are intent on keeping their focus on the task at hand.

"We're coming in pretty confident but we want to take each game at a time," senior shooting guard Sarah Miller said. "We don't want to be overconfident, especially since we set expectations high for the season."

Miller and senior guard Beth Rosendahl have led Mundelein to an early 2-0 record this year, both averaging 16 points per game.

Senior forward Ashley Cretacci has also chipped in 9 points per game while senior guards Kelly Mitchell and Caroline Laird have added solid performances in the starting line-up as well.

Junior guard Shara Swager has also resumed her role from last season as a spark plug off the bench.

The Mustangs aren't the only North Suburban Conference Lake Division team that returns all of its players, and head coach Brian Evans said the overall conference should be tough.

"Warren has got the same thing this year, they've got everybody back and they've got some new kids that are just as good as the kids they've got back so they're loaded," he said. "Lake Forest will be very physical; and Libertyville is always tough; and Stevenson always finds a way to beat somebody."

The Mustangs opened the season Nov. 20 with a 58-38 win over Prairie Ridge.

They followed that up with another convincing victory Nov. 22, beating Woodstock 77-53 to open the Skyhawk/Mustang Thanksgiving Tournament, which Mundelein is co-hosting with Johnsburg High School.

Miller and Rosendahl both had strong showings against the Wolves, scoring 19 and 21 points respectively.

The Mustangs displayed their ability to attack early and often when they jumped out to a 26-4 lead in the first quarter.

"We got up right away and they had a hard time fighting back," Evans said. "But at no point did I ever feel comfortable with the lead we had because (Woodstock has) kids that can just drain the shot."

The Wolves did indeed battle back and got within 15 by halftime. But in the second half, Evans said the team focused on tough defense and transition scoring to put the game out of reach for good.

And while it's been obvious early that the Mustangs can hang with most teams in the area offensively, Miller said the team still has to stay intense throughout every game.

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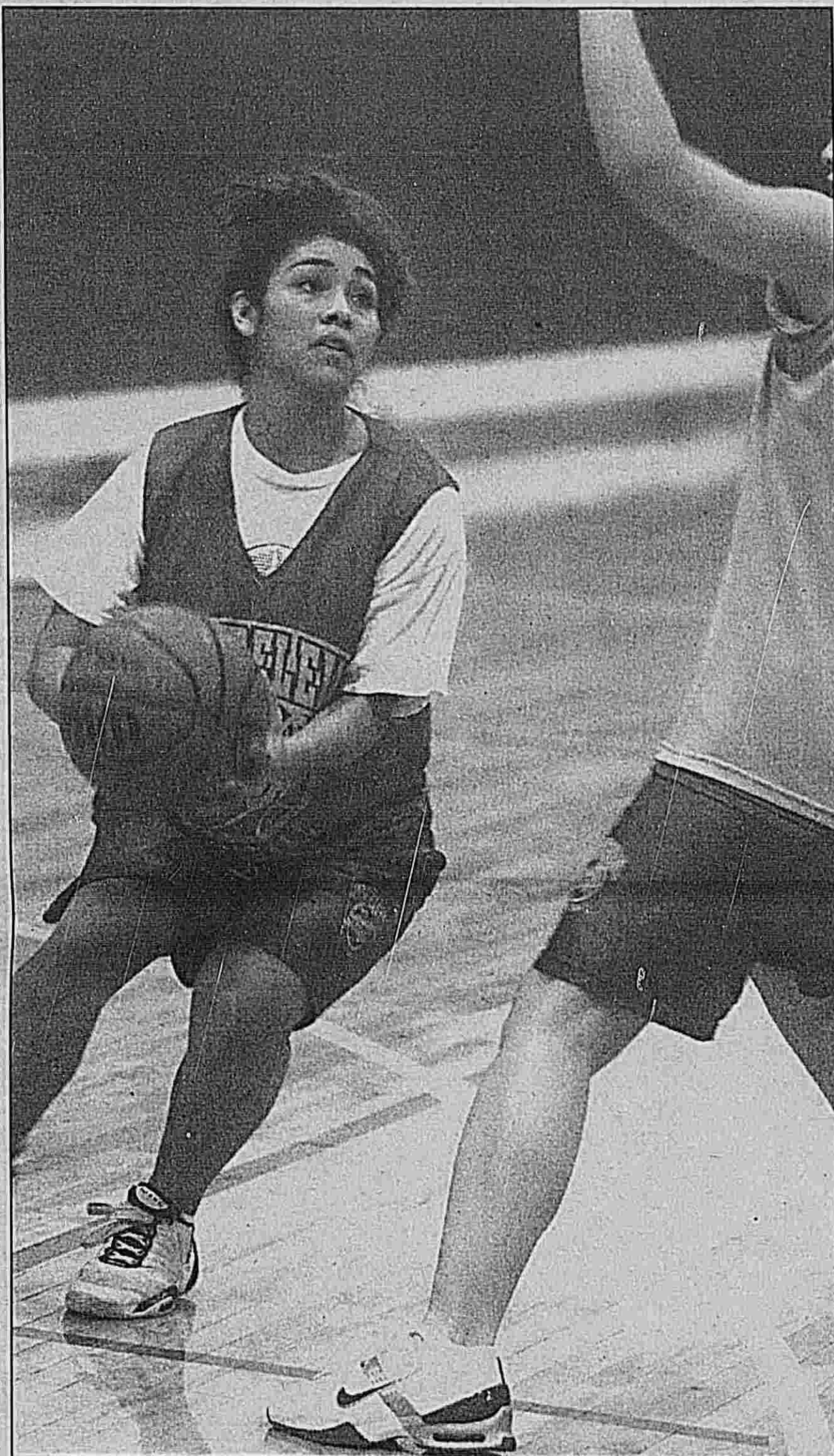


Photo by Sandy Bressner

Mundelein High School varsity basketball player Zelle Henriquez goes up for a shot while guarded by teammate Kelly Mitchell during a practice.

we need to show up to practice everyday ready to work," she said. "There's not one day

that we can let down because we have one of the toughest conferences."

### PREPROFILES



Sarah Miller

It's been a long time coming. Before 5-8 senior shooting guard Sarah Miller came along, the Mundelein girls basketball team had not had a player earn a Div. I scholarship since Peggy Kohler went to Tulsa in 1984.

But on Nov. 10, Miller ended that drought when she signed a letter of intent to play for Western Illinois next season.

"(WIU) followed me the whole summer," Miller said. "I was looking at a few other colleges but I just felt that they best fit me."

Over the summer, Miller played for the Elgin-based AAU squad, Team USA. During her time with the club she traveled to national tournaments in Washington D.C. and St. Louis, which she said improved her game immensely.

"I still have a long way to go, I know," she said. "I'm still trying to work on my defense but I'm trying to get out there always in the passing lanes. I'm trying to work on the little things that mean the most."

The elevation of her game has been evident through the first two games of Mundelein's season, in which she has averaged 16 points.

Head coach Brian Evans said Miller has refined some of the most important attributes a shooting guard can possess.

"She got much quicker, handles the ball better and has a much better outside shot," he said.

And while Miller may be the first Div. I player to come out of Mundelein in nearly two decades, she said she hopes it doesn't take that long for the next one to come along.

"It's been awhile but now maybe people will look at it and be like, 'You know what, I can do it, I can set standards,' and people will work harder to try and get that same thing," she said. —By Matt Pera

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# ROUND LAKE

"We're short and inexperienced, but we have a good group."

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## Panthers hoping for positive season

By Steve Peterson  
Sports Reporter

**R**ound Lake High girls' basketball coach Gary Edge saw some positives in terms of overall effort at the Harvard tournament.

The Panthers now face the daunting task of facing Warren in Gurnee Nov. 30 with an 0-5 record.

But all is not doom and gloom for Round Lake.

"We gained some valuable experience. We had one game we could have won (a 32-30 loss to Rockford East). I was not disappointed by our performance. The issues we have are of talent, size and height; all that can be worked on. It is not an issue of character," Edge said.

The season started with a 47-32 loss to South Beloit. Sandra Smith had 12 points. "We played better after we got rid of our opening-game jitters, we played better," Edge said.

Senior Kimmy Nicoline scored 8 points in a 44-21 loss to Crystal Lake South.

Harvard downed Round Lake 42-30 despite 11 points from Nicoline.

The closest game came in the 32-30 loss to Rockford East Saturday morning. The Panthers had a three-point deficit and Rockford East missed one-of-two free throws in the final five seconds, but the Panthers did not get a good look. A 6-15 effort at the free-throw line doomed the cause. Freshman Brittany Kucia scored 14 points to lead the Panthers. Nicoline had 9 points in a 50-23 loss to Huntley to close the tournament.

"The girls do have a commitment to getting better. We play Warren on Nov. 30 while I would be lying if I said there was not a talent difference, we hope to take what we have been working on in practice into the games. Warren just has so many weapons," Edge said.

After being named MVP of the volleyball squad, Kimmy Nicoline is set to turn her attention to hoops.

She joins Erin Poynter, 5-9 and a tennis leader.

"They should be our leading scorers and leaders," coach Gary Edge said.

Senior Jenny Cordova, a 5-4 guard, prides herself on defense.

Junior Sandra Smith leads the rebounding effort.

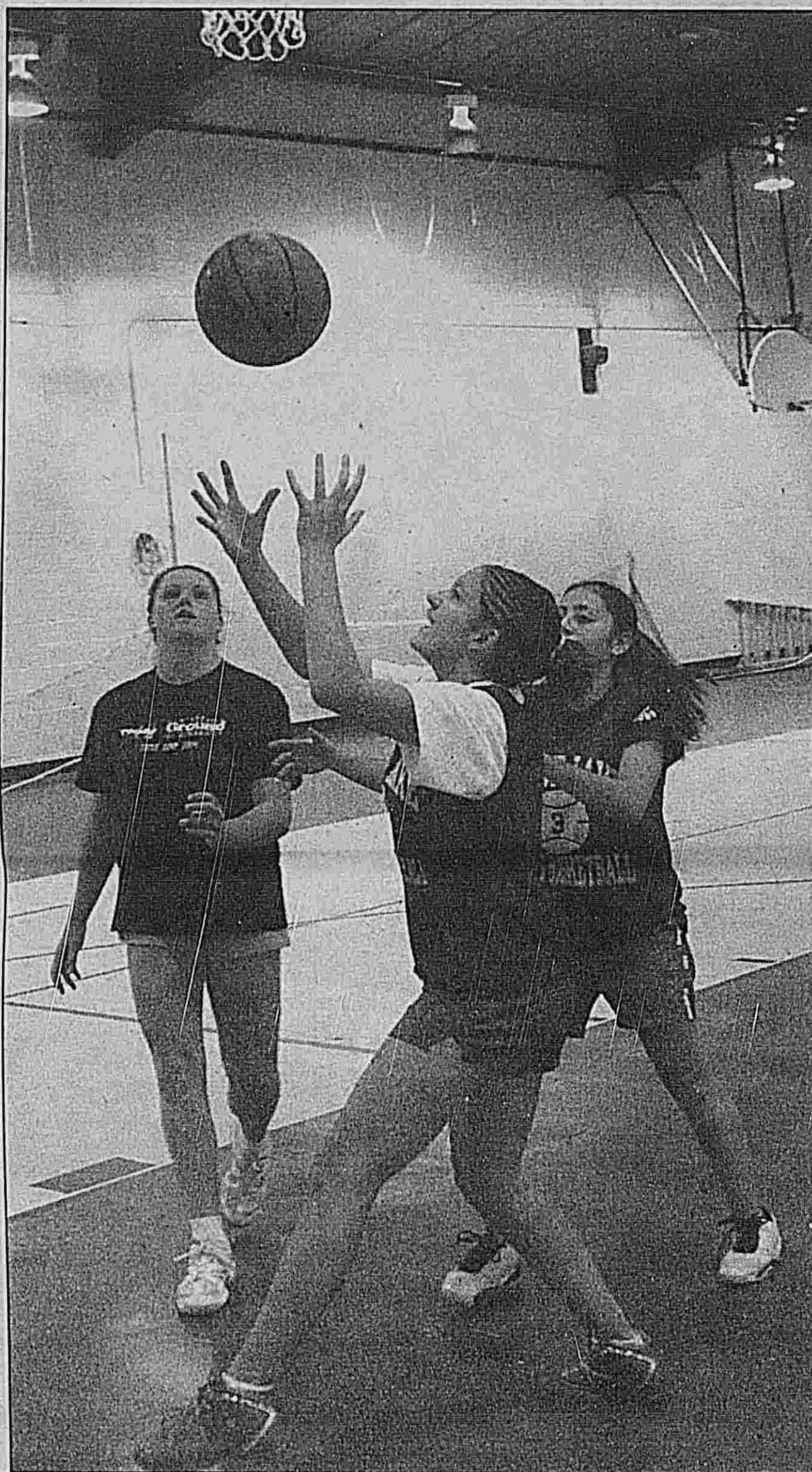
Seniors back for the Panthers include 5-6 forward Mandy Terno and Lauren Fischer, a guard. Another player to watch is Sandra Smith, a 5-8 junior who is a strong shooter as well as Lisa Walsh, a 5-6 forward.

"We're short and inexperienced, but we have a good group," Edge said.

The Panthers know, sooner or later, that they will have to face Lacey Simpson, the Zion star. "She is the best player in the county," Edge said.

Edge is optimistic about his own team, coming off a 5-win season last year. He has coached for 17 years at RL.

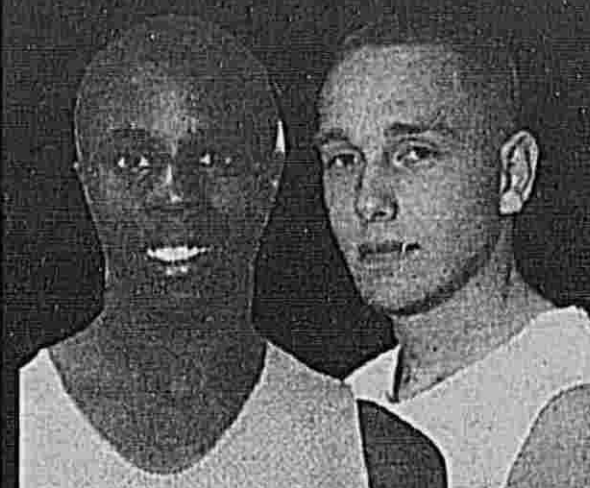
Round Lake is at Wauconda Dec. 4 in a 2:30 p.m. game to start NSC Prairie Division play.



Senior Clare Pedersen goes for the rebound during practice with the Round Lake girls' basketball team.

Photo by John Dickson

### PREP PROFILES



#### Ceasar Moore and Brendan Gerfen

**E**very basketball team needs some doses of both personalities.

Call them Mr. Prankster and Joe Serious. All players, in fact, need both qualities to be a success.

At Round Lake, Brendan Gerfen leads the serious side while Ceasar Moore can help you on the toughest of days at the office.

"We are taking a lot of pride in our defense. We're small, but we will have to outrun people," said team co-captain Gerfen.

"It is always a help to see something new that you don't see," Gerfen said of the season start. "We represent ourselves and the school, we represent Round Lake basketball and we'll pull through at the right time."

We teach respect here and the school and outside of school."

Gerfen said a fast start at the Mundelein Thanksgiving tournament would be great to boost the start.

"Jeremy Potts and I are captains, but everyone can be a leader," Gerfen said. "We will all do our parts. I can't do it without my team."

His leadership skills have shown as he tried to get all who came out for the team a chance to make the squad. But eventually, cuts were made.

Moore moved from Waukegan to start high school in Round Lake. He did not play basketball his freshman year, but the 5-11, 115-pounder is ready with a smile.

"We have a great coach with a new system of offense and defense. We're all tired of losing. The seniors who have been here two or three years are excited about the season. We'll have a winning season," Moore said.

"As a science teacher, I get to see him in the hallways often. He's a good person, a great athlete and a quiet leader," said new RL coach Mark Petrynek of Moore.

"I feel that I am a role player now," Moore said.

One of his roles is to help younger players know what playing hard is all about. —By Steve Peterson

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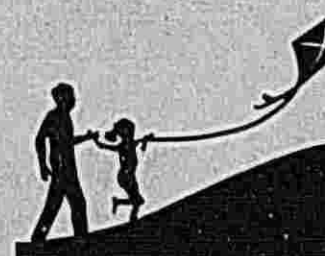
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# VERNON HILLS

"We're just looking to improve every day. We're just so young."

Paul Brettner  
Vernon Hills girls' hoops coach



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## Young Cougars look to grow up

By Matt Pera

Sports Reporter

**V**ernon Hills head coach Paul Brettner knew going into the season that his young squad would take its lumps, especially early in the year.

Those concerns were realized after the Cougars lost to Glenbrook North 63-40 Nov. 17.

"We're real inexperienced this year and that showed against Glenbrook North," he said. "We had a lot of turnovers. We're just looking to improve everyday. We're just so young."

Vernon Hills lost six seniors from last season's 13-17 squad, paving the way for several sophomores and juniors earning key roles on this year's team.

The Cougars followed that up with a spot in the Mundelein-Johnsburg tournament, which runs through Nov. 24.

Brettner said the tournament, which features several solid teams and runs through Wednesday, would be a good indicator for what the team needs to work on and improve as the season progresses.

Due to the loss of so many seniors, including leading scorer Rachel Blanton, several young players without varsity experience have been thrust into the starting lineup this season.

Sophomore forward Yeh-Eun Jin and sophomore shooting guard Bethany Brown are two players who Brettner said would see significant minutes all year.

Despite their youth, Brettner said Brown's varsity soccer experience and Jin's solid basketball background would help them make the transition into the starting lineup.

"Yeh-Eun has played a lot of basketball," he said. "She came from Korea in eighth grade she's played a lot since fourth grade."

"Bethany played a lot of really tough competition in soccer. The (varsity) competition level is nothing new for her."

Brown has also seen some time running the offense early in the season, due to a knee injury suffered by junior starting point guard Alyssa Wilson, who is expected to be back within the next week.

Wilson and senior center Stephanie Hebda have the most varsity experience for the Cougars and Brettner cited them as the team leaders this season.

And on a small team, the offense will usually run through Hebda.

"Stephanie is going to bring a lot of good offensive skills as well as tighten our defense up a little bit," Brettner said.

Assistant coach Stacie Jury added that the Cougars' goal is to improve as the season goes along and hang tough with every opponent they face.

While Vernon Hills may be in a bit of a rebuilding mode, Jury said the team has a solid

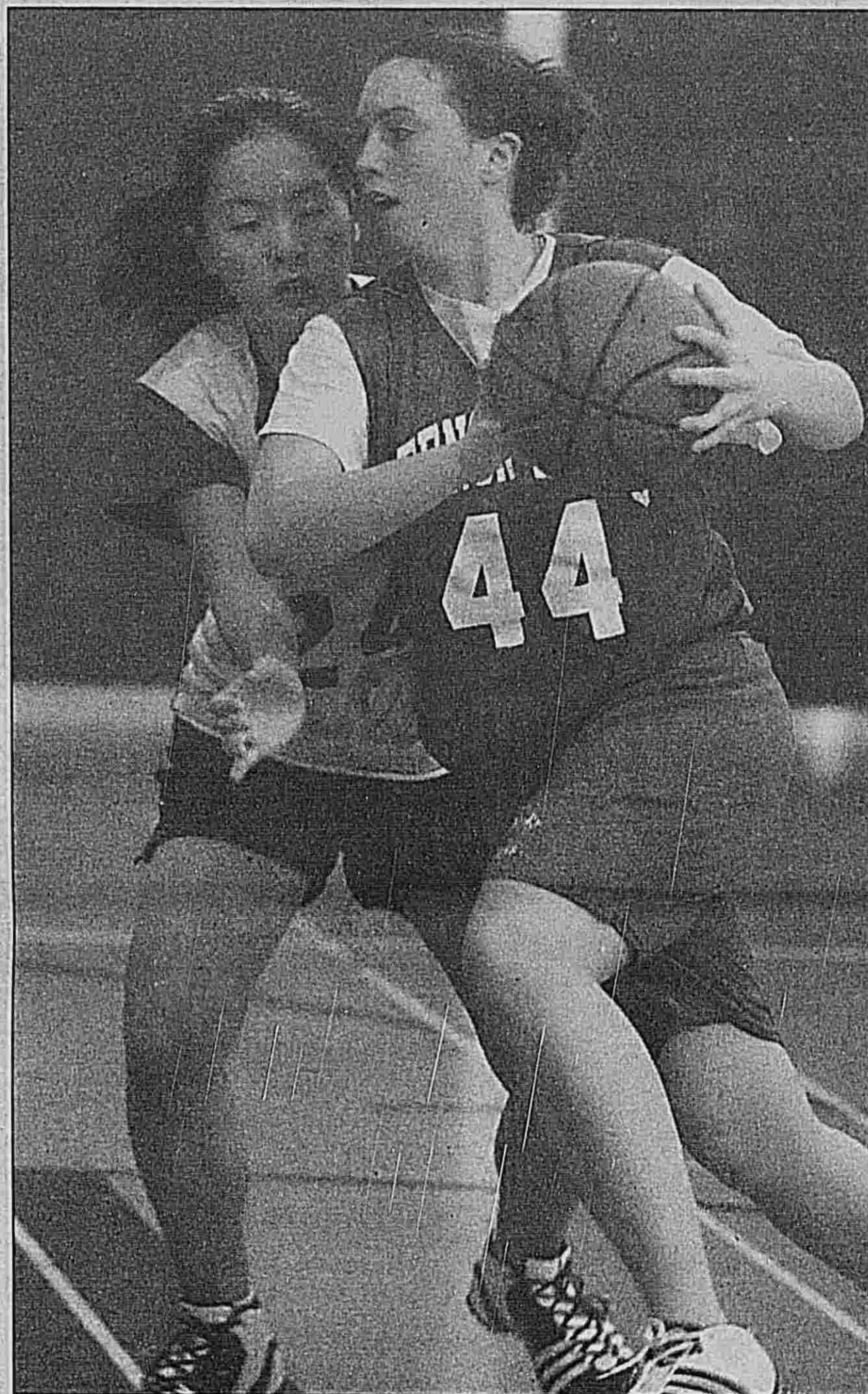


Photo by Sandy Bressner

Vernon Hills High School varsity girls basketball players face-off during a preseason practice.

base of talent to work with.

"We want to be really competitive," she said. "We don't want any big blowouts. We

know we're not going to be the best team out there but we know we can be very scrappy and give a lot of teams a run for their money."

### PREPROFILES



Alyssa Wilson

**T**he point guard is often considered an extension of the coach on the floor.

But for Vernon Hills junior point guard Alyssa Wilson, she currently has to help direct the offense while sitting on the bench.

On Nov. 16, the day before the first game of the season against Glenbrook North, Wilson injured her knee and is expected to be out for another week.

And while she is on the bench she is making the most of it, studying the game in an effort to improve her skills when she finally takes the court.

"You notice so much more on the bench," she said. "It's probably going to make me a better player, watching and knowing more of what I can do."

Wilson said she has tried to help her teammates as much as she can by talking to them during timeouts but admitted the urge to get out there and play has been strong.

Doctors told her that a cyst ruptured in her right knee during practice, which caused a build-up of fluid around the injury. She was unable to put any pressure on her right leg initially but is now able to walk on it and expected to be 100 percent soon.

"It could have been a lot worse," she said.

After coming off the bench as a backup for much of last season, Wilson, along with senior center Stephanie Hebda, has the most varsity experience on the Cougars.

While she's trying to lead off the bench right now, Wilson said she is excited to get out on the floor and run the team.

Head coach Paul Brettner said she would be a key to the team's success this season.

"She came off the bench last year and started some at the end of the season," he said. "(Wilson) is going to bring a lot of leadership." —By Matt Pera

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# WARREN

*"We're a deep, athletic squad. There's not much drop off on the bench, especially on defense."*

**John Stanczykiewicz**  
Warren girls' hoops coach



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## Devils off to blazing start

By Rob Backus

Sports Editor

**H**eaded into the season, Warren coach John Stanczykiewicz knew his team would have no trouble scoring points, so he shifted his team's focus to the defensive end of the floor.

And after two straight solid performances to start the season, including a 65-33 win over Grayslake in the Buffalo Grove Bison Classic, it appears that strategy has paid off for Warren.

"We've tried to establish our defense from the very beginning," Stanczykiewicz said. "We know we can score points most games, but we want the confidence that our defense will be there every game. It's just a matter of effort."

That effort was apparent against the Rams, as Warren forced 30-plus turnovers in the contest.

"We put a lot of pressure on the ball," Stanczykiewicz said. "We try to take your mistakes and get it in the basket as fast as we can."

Grayslake hung with the Devils early, trailing just 10-6 in the opening minutes, before Warren (2-0) rattled off a 25-4 run to take a 35-10 lead at halftime. The game was never really close after that.

The Devils won despite a 3-for-13 shooting performance from leading scorer TK LaFleur, who finished with just 7 points.

"We didn't even miss a beat, which was very unusual," Stanczykiewicz said.

That's because the team got a solid performance from freshman center Sarah Boothe, who scored a team-high 12 points in the contest. And that was just the first of many good games, according to Stanczykiewicz.

"She has so many skills," Stanczykiewicz said of the 6-foot, 4-inch Boothe. "She's athletic, she has range and she can shoot with either hand. Plus she plays with a great deal of poise. She's a very special freshman."

Giuleana Lopez, Jessica Bollinger and Liz Blaz also had solid efforts with 8 points apiece, while Kendra Payne chipped in with 7. That's the secret to the Devils' success, according to Stanczykiewicz.

"We're a deep, athletic squad," Stanczykiewicz said. "There's not much drop off on the bench, especially on defense. They all play hard."

While she shot poorly against Grayslake, LaFleur did lead the way with a game-high 24 points in a 72-43 win over Maine South to open the season. Lopez had 12 points and Boothe 10 as the Devils shot over 50 percent from the field.

"The kids have played really well," Stanczykiewicz said. "I've been pleased with the effort so far."

Stanczykiewicz also has to be pleased with his team's chances, as virtually everyone returns from a squad that went 19-10 last season.

"The outlook is pretty high," Stanczykiewicz said. "We just have to continue to play together and play with confidence."



Warren Township High School's Giuleana Lopez, a junior, slips past the Grayslake defense during a Buffalo Grove Bison Classic Tournament game at home.

Photo by Sandy Bressner

### PREP PROFILES



**TK LaFleur**

**H**aving to transfer schools can be tough on anyone, but it was especially hard on Warren senior TK LaFleur.

Not only was she faced with the task of finding her way in a new school, she was also anointed as one of the top players in the area before ever taking the court. LaFleur, a transfer from Houston, was rated as one of the top juniors in the country.

Despite all the talent, she struggled at times last season, before tearing her meniscus at the end of the season.

"She came in with a lot of headlines and publicity," Warren coach John Stanczykiewicz said. "Maybe she felt the need to live up to it all the time."

But LaFleur worked hard to rehab her knee, and played AAU ball over the summer, earning a scholarship to the University of Nebraska.

"There's no pressure anymore; I can just go out there and play," LaFleur said. "I'm a lot more comfortable this year."

"The recruiting process is over, so now she can just enjoy basketball," Stanczykiewicz said. "She doesn't have to impress anyone."

She doesn't have to work very hard to do that, though, as she averaged 17 points, 7 rebounds, 5 steals and 4 assists per game last season, helping lead the Devils to a 19-10 record.

"She's a slasher and a driver," Stanczykiewicz said. "She thrives in the open court."

But it's her defense that's even more impressive, according to Stanczykiewicz.

"She's deceptive defensively," he said. "She has quick hands and long arms."

"I've been focusing on my defense big time," LaFleur said. "I know I can control that. I can't always control my shot, so I just let the offense come to me." —By Rob Backus

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# WAUCONDA

"We are deeper than we have been in a while."

**Tim Bartusch**  
Wauconda girls' hoops coach

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## Bulldogs will rely on depth, experience

By Steve Peterson

Sports Reporter

**L**ed by senior Kirsten Kraus, the Wauconda girls' basketball team has some high hopes for 2004-05.

The squad, with some larger numbers at all levels, would like to put the three-win seasons in the past, never to be seen again.

Kraus, a standout in soccer who ran cross country this fall, returns as a guard after scoring 9-10 points per game last year.

"She shoots the ball well. This is her third year on the varsity with us. Where it really comes in handy, when you make a coaching point to her, she understands. You do not have to say it over and over again," said WHS coach Tim Bartusch.

Jessie Middlesworth, a junior, is back. "I brought her up because of the strides that she made," Bartusch said. "She is 5-11, and she works hard. She has good size, for a center and a post player."

She averaged 6 points and 7 rebounds per game.

Julia Slaughter, 6-1, also gives the Bulldogs a talent in the post. "She has really made some strides. She has confidence, hits the boards, and plays real good defense. She understands the concept of man-to-man," Bartusch said.

Senior Krista Llewellyn is back as at starting guard. "She has made herself an better basketball player. Last year was only her second year playing. She played as a junior, and understands the game a little better, which is helpful," Bartusch said.

Patrice Costa is a sophomore on the varsity who has a good work ethic. She played point guard on the freshman team.

"We are deeper than we have been in a while. The numbers in the whole program have gone up. We are starting to get more basketball players. We used to have volleyball and soccer players who play basketball. We are getting middle school kids who, as eighth graders, have played a lot. It is really encouraging," Bartusch said.

WHS had an early start, playing at Prairie Ridge in the opener. The Bulldogs are at the Marian Central tourney Nov. 18-19 and 23, but have dropped out of Johnsbury's tournament.

"We are looking to play more man-to-man defense. Our offense is pretty much the same," Bartusch said.

Zion, led by future D-1 player Lacey Simpson, is the division favorites, but there is parity among the others. "She is good. Her ability is that she can score multiple ways," Bartusch said.

Bartusch saw some positives to take from a 28-point loss that started the season.

"We played hard and defensively played well the whole game," Bartusch said.

The offense struggled against the Prairie Ridge team in a 38-10 loss on Monday.

"They were about the same height as we were; they just executed better. We sent them to the free-throw line way too many times, as we were aggressive, which is good in one way," he said.

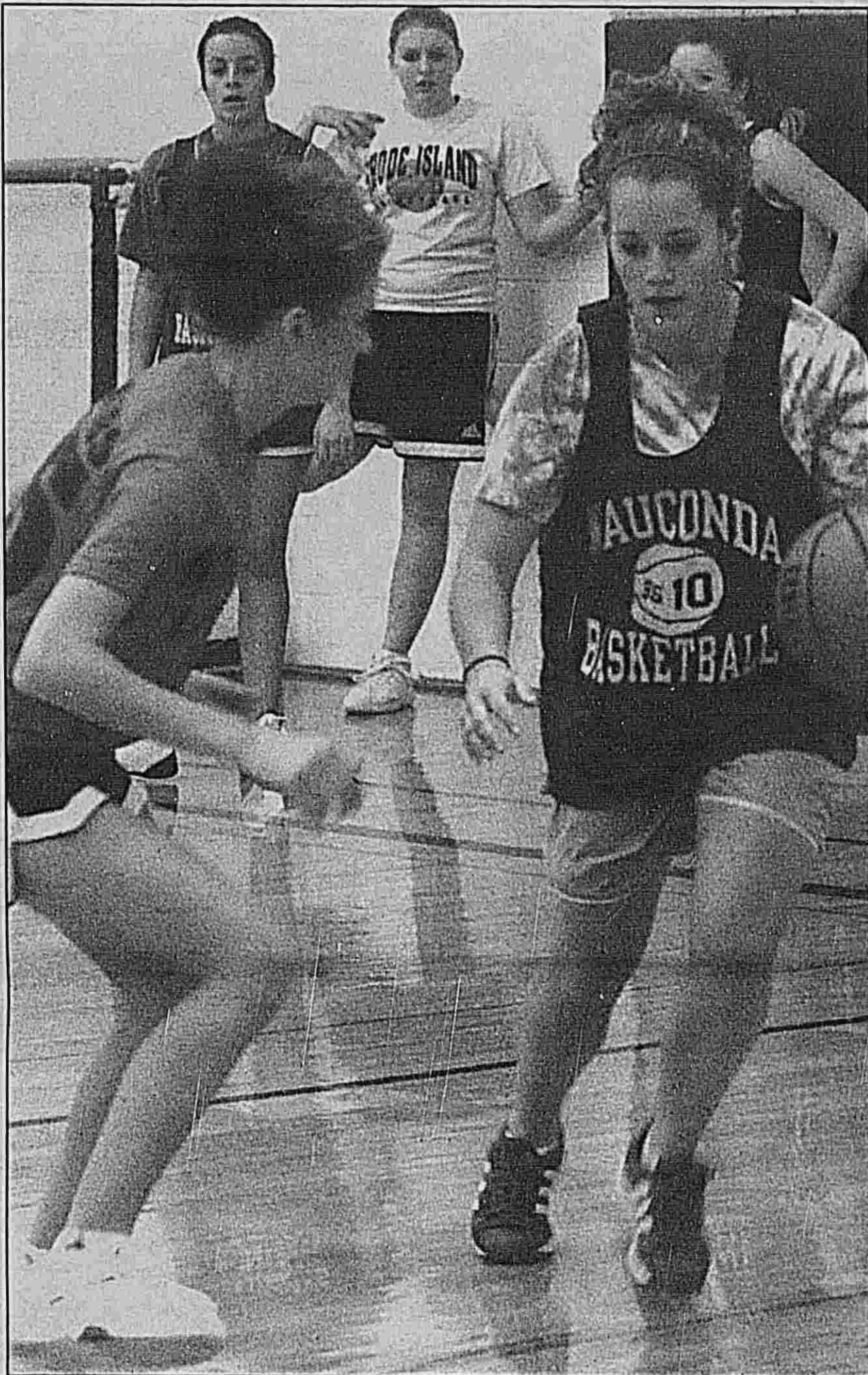


Photo by John Dickson

Wauconda senior Ali Dorsey, guards Krista Llewellyn, also a senior, during practice.

Kraus led the Bulldogs with 6 points. Prairie Ridge led 8-6 after eight minutes and 20-8 at halftime.

Wauconda, 0-1, lost its first two games at the Marian Central tournament.

Wauconda dropped a 60-18 game to Marian Central in the first round.

The Bulldogs played better at the outset of a game with Crystal Lake Central. They were

up 16-10, only to see the Tigers dominate the second half and pull away to a 38-26 win.

Kraus led Wauconda with nine points against CLC.

Wauconda is at Antioch for a cross-over battle at 7 p.m. Nov. 30.

Wauconda hosts Round Lake at 2:30 p.m. Dec. 4. This contest starts NSC Prairie Division play.

## PREPFILES



**Hawk Haiduke**

**H**ope may spring eternal, but it is also there for the winter as well. Yes, hopes are high at Wauconda, hoping to be a contender in the North Suburban Conference Prairie Division.

Hawk Haiduke hopes to be a big part of that success.

"We're expecting big things from Hawk," said coach Rich Wolf.

Haiduke is a 5-8 senior guard, who averaged 8 points per game as a junior last year. More importantly, this is his fourth and final varsity season.

"We have real good team chemistry. I think that we are ready to take that big step," Haiduke said.

"I am a lot less intimidated now," he said of his hoops experience, compared to his freshman year.

Whether it be as a leadoff man in baseball or a shooting guard in basketball, Haiduke is ready for the challenge. Haiduke has been playing baseball and basketball for about the same number of years, he said.

The Bulldogs figure to count on Haiduke as a leader this spring as he is a returning all-area player. The familiar No. 2 would like to play catcher this year, as he like the field generalship of the position. WHS was 10-24 last spring.

"He is a good little athlete. He works the pitcher and that is what you want from a lead off man. He has good speed and we can play him anywhere," said baseball coach Bill Sliker early last spring.

Haiduke had a 9-point game as WHS got off to a 2-2 start last year, but then fell on hard times.

But for now, the Johnsbury tourney is at hand Nov. 26, followed by a home clash with Antioch Nov. 29.

WHS has some new looks this year, the senior said.

"We have been working on a new defense that should help our fast-break," Haiduke said. —By Steve Peterson

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# WAUKEGAN

*"I felt I was part of the reason why we couldn't get over the hump last season."*

Angel Jones  
Waukegan senior guard

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## More wins in store for Bulldogs

By Nicholas Alajakis

Sports Reporter

**T**his year, Waukegan coach Colette Erbach promises, is going to be different for her Bulldog basketball team.

After combining for a total of only seven wins the two previous seasons, Waukegan has a young team poised to crack double-digit victories, Erbach said.

Waukegan is led this season senior point guard Angel Jones. Jones, the team's leading scorer her sophomore campaign, sat out her entire junior season with a torn ACL.

Having her back does a lot for the team not only offensively, where she can score and pass well, but on defense, where she is very quick and scrappy, Erbach said.

Jones is joined in the starting lineup by three sophomores. Last season's leading scorer Sierra Shipley brings back her 14 points a game average and her stingy defense. She is joined by fellow-sophomores, Courtney Doby and Ashley Daniels.

The girls all have a lot of speed, Erbach said. Even Shipley, at 5-10, can play guard and keep up with other teams.

In fact, in Jones' absence, Shipley was forced to play guard last season. This year, Erbach said she hopes to use her more down low.

With Jones handling the ball, Erbach said she feels it will allow other players to be better.

The team is already off to a better start than last season. In its first game, Waukegan lost a close game to Maine East. Down by two in the final second Waukegan had a chance to tie up the score, but missed one of two free throws to lose 47-48.

Daniels led all scorers with 14 points. The team's 47 points are well above their average from last season, where they scored only 32 points a game.

The team has struggled to field many players on the past, and it hurt, Erbach said, because many sophomores and freshmen may have had to be brought up before they were ready.

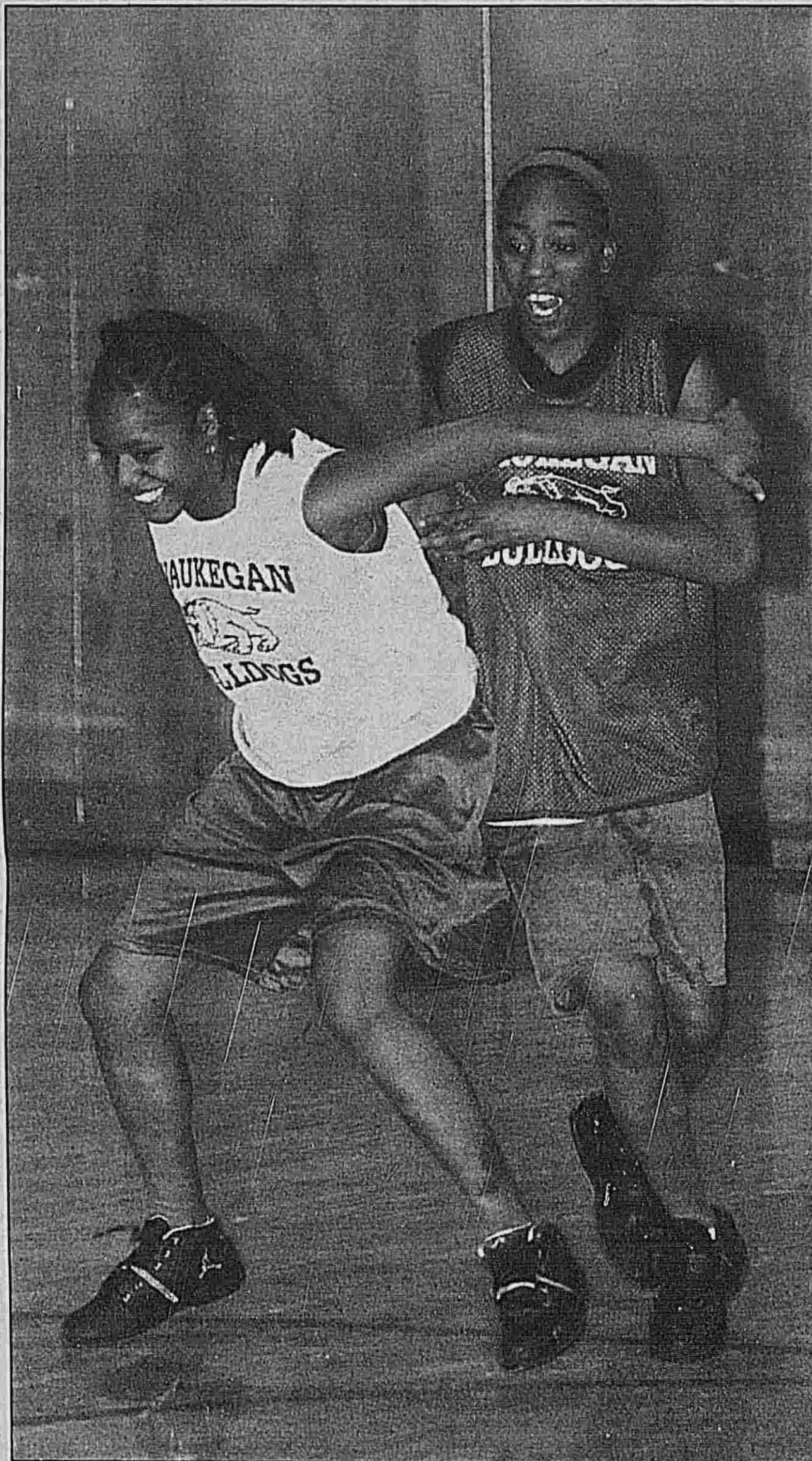
This year Erbach's team is fielding three sophomores, but they will all start. Jones is one of only four seniors on the varsity and there are nine juniors, Erbach said.

A light senior squad is nothing new to Erbach, who has noticed numbers dwindle as girls get older.

"I don't know what it is when these girls get to their senior year," Erbach said.

Despite not having the oldest team, the players do have experience, and Erbach said she thinks that will help.

This week the girls wrap up play in the Deerfield Invitational on Nov. 26 and 27, before taking on Highland Park on Nov. 30.



Ashley Daniels, a sophomore at Waukegan High School, tries to block Shayla Dukes, a senior, during practice for the Waukegan High School girls basketball team.

Photo by John Dickson

### PREPFILES



Angel Jones

**H**er team's 4-19 record was not the hardest thing for Angel Jones to stomach last season. It was the fact that an injury kept her out of the action.

Jones, the leading scorer for the Bulldogs' basketball team her sophomore season, was forced to sit out all of last season due to a torn ACL in her left knee.

"I felt I was part of the reason why we couldn't get over the hump last season," Jones said.

The injury was sustained during a summer league game, but was bad enough that Jones knew immediately she would miss her junior season.

Jones a 5-2 point guard, is back this season and says she's ready to produce in a big way—even if it means playing with knee brace and added pain.

In the Bulldogs' first game of the season, a 47-48 loss to Maine East, Jones had seven points and seven assists. She also had a nagging pain in her left knee, which she said she was able to successfully ignore.

Jones' recovery is good news for Waukegan coach Colette Erbach. Not only was Jones the team's MVP offensively and defensively as a sophomore, but her court leadership was irreplaceable, Erbach said.

"It was tough," Erbach said about Jones' injury. "We expected a lot out of her. It's good to have her back."

Despite the injury Jones is showing signs of what made her so valuable to the team. She still runs the court well at the point, Erbach said. And her ball handling skills are still top notch as well.

Handling the ball is something she likes to do, Jones said. Whether its skirting passed a defender to get to the basket, or dishing out an assist, when she has the ball, Jones said she feels the team is better.

"It's kind of natural," she said. "I've been doing it my whole life." —By Nicholas Alajakis

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# COLLEGE LAKE COUNTY

"I'd rather win than score a whole bunch of points and lose all the time."

Erin McMillan  
CLC sophomore forward

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## Lancers' hot start continues

By Matt Pera

Sports Reporter

Shawn Chism has been in a pretty good mood lately.

The College of Lake County men's basketball coach has plenty of reasons (seven to be exact) to have high spirits.

His team is off to one of the best starts in school history with a 7-0 record. What's more, the Lancers have won nearly all of those games convincingly.

CLC is currently averaging 86 points per game, while their opponents have put up only 59 points per contest.

The latest blowout came Nov. 20 at South Suburban College in South Holland, where CLC destroyed the Bulldogs 92-57.

Chism said he has tried to instill a relentless mentality in his players.

"I guess our biggest focus now is when we get team on ropes to not let them bounce back at all, to knock them out and take their spirit away," he said. "They didn't quite do it in first half but they broke (South Suburban's) spirit early in the second."

Freshman shooting guard Jose Garcia led the second half barrage, sinking four of his six three-pointers after halftime.

Garcia had 22 points off the bench. His fellow sub, freshman forward Tony Murdock chipped in 15 points, while sophomore forward Erin McMillan (12 points, 12 rebounds), sophomore center Aaron Jones (10 points, 11 rebounds) and sophomore forward Kenny Saunders (12 points) also had big games.

The Lancers jumped out to an early lead in the first half and the Bulldogs were never really able to threaten.

Heading into halftime, CLC had built a comfortable 15-point lead. Then, just like Chism wants them to do, the Lancers went in for the kill, blowing the game wide open.

Chism cited solid defense, timely shooting and the steady presence of sophomore point guard Austin Yarc as keys to the victory.

"Yarc led the team," Chism said. "He didn't have a lot of assists Saturday but he got us in the position we needed to be in."

The Lancers will next host non-conference opponent Joliet Junior College Nov. 30.

Chism said that game would be another good gauge for the team before they head into Skyway Conference play in about a month.

"Tuesday is going to be even tougher when we play Joliet," he said. "We feel real confident about us doing some special things in the second half (of the season). I know we can be good but I don't know how good."

The team is striving for a bid in the national tournament at the end of this season, a place Chism said the Lancers have not been in at least 25 years.

CLC came up just short last season, losing to Waubesa Community College 64-58 in the second round of the Region IV tournament.

But this season, Chism said the team is on pace to not only be one of the best teams in the conference and region, but one of the stronger squads in the country when the junior college national rankings come out in a week.

When conference play gets underway, Chism said the Lancers will have to prove themselves against perennial contenders Waubesa and Moraine Valley.

"It's our time to rise up and hopefully take our place among the elite," he said.

### WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

The CLC women's basketball team had a tough showing against South Suburban College Nov. 20, losing 73-42.

The Lancers, who are 0-3 on the young season, had numerous turnovers, which the Bulldogs converted into fast-break points through much of the game.

Freshman guard Nikeisha Smith and sophomore guard Brooke Peterson led the Lancers with 11 and 12 points, respectively.

CLC will next participate in the Joliet Tournament Nov. 26-27.

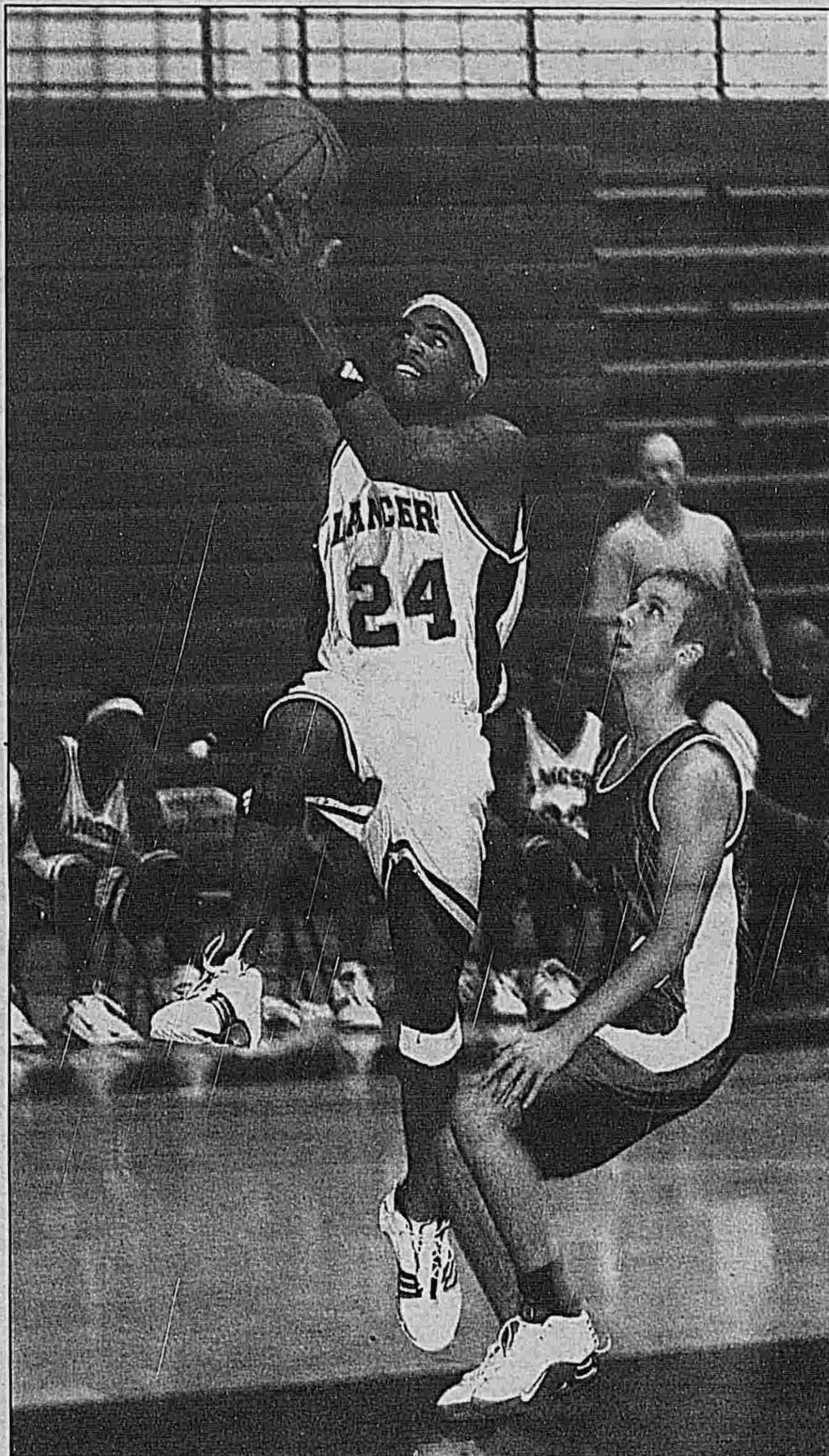


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Marlon Cobb, a sophomore Lancer from Round Lake, goes in for a layup during a College of Lake County men's basketball game against the University of Wisconsin-Rock County.

## PROFILES



Erin McMillan

Last season, as a freshman forward at Prairie State Community College, Erin McMillan had his share of battles with CLC center Aaron Jones and Olive Harvey forward Kenny Saunders.

But this season, they are all teammates on an undefeated Lancer squad (7-0) and have put an end to the rivalries.

"It was funny because last year me and Aaron Jones had a little feud going," McMillan said. "We used to always get into it, pushing, elbowing, fighting each other on the court. Now we're fighting for each other."

Both McMillan and Saunders transferred to CLC this year and have settled into their new roles in the Lancers starting lineup.

Last season McMillan averaged 16 points and 12 boards for Prairie State, but said the team lacked the depth CLC possesses.

But while his stats may be a bit down from last year, he has still put up consistent double-doubles and said he is happy to trade a few points and rebounds for wins.

"People ask me 'why didn't you stay (at Prairie State)? You could have been scoring 25, 30 points a game if you would have stayed,'" McMillan said. "I'm like, 'yeah, but right now their 3-2, we're 7-0.' I'd rather win than score a whole bunch of points and lose all the time."

McMillan admitted he needed to work on maintaining focus throughout the entire game and not getting lost in the shuffle, but said his intensity level has improved as the season has progressed.

Head coach Shawn Chism added that the 6-7 sophomore has brought a good deal of experience to the Lancers.

"One thing he does provide us with is a lot of leadership," Chism said.

"That maturity level is higher and getting him to do the right things is a lot easier." —By Matt Pera

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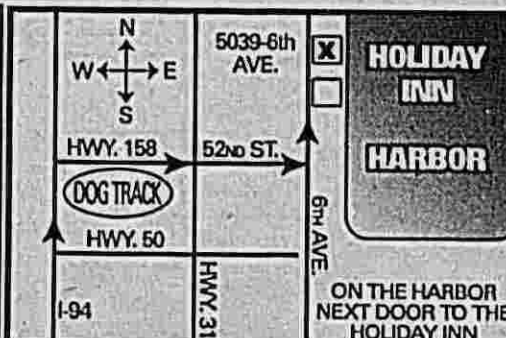
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/s/ Tomasz B. Malyszko  
/s/ Robert M. Petit  
Nov. 1, 2004

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 1st. day of November 2004.

**OFFICIAL SEAL**  
/s/Carol Fuson  
Notary Public  
Received: Nov. 3, 2004  
Willard R. Helander  
Lake County Clerk  
1112B-6901-LN  
November 12, 19, 26, 2004

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**ASSUMED BUSINESS**  
**NAME application**

**NAME OF BUSINESS:**  
Changing Seasons Heating & Air Conditioning  
**NATURE/PURPOSE:**

HVAC Services  
**ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY:**  
720 White Birch Lane, Lake Zurich, IL. 60047, (847)726-6907.

**NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS**  
Chris Dempsey, 720 White Birch Lane, Lake Zurich, IL. 60047, (847) 366-9459. Beata Dempsey, 720 White Birch Lane, Lake Zurich, IL. 60047, (847) 366-9458.

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/s/ Chris Dempsey  
/s/ Beata Dempsey  
Nov. 10, 2004

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**OFFICIAL SEAL**  
/s/Thomas Paul Zander  
Notary Public  
Received: Nov. 10, 2004  
Willard R. Helander  
Lake County Clerk  
1119C-6903-WL  
November 19, 26, 2004  
December 3, 2004

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**ASSUMED BUSINESS**  
**NAME application**

**NAME OF BUSINESS:**  
K-Max Construction  
**NATURE/PURPOSE:**

Home Repair  
**ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY:**  
804 Safford Ave., Lake Bluff, IL. 60044, (847)283-0216.  
**NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS**  
Ryszard Koska, 5854 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago, IL. 60646, (773) 774-6659.

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/s/ Ryszard Koska  
Nov. 10, 2004

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**OFFICIAL SEAL**  
/s/Anna Vaclav  
Notary Public  
Received: Nov. 10, 2004  
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Lake County Clerk  
1119C-6904-GP  
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December 3, 2004

**900** Legals**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**ASSUMED BUSINESS**  
**NAME application**

**NAME OF BUSINESS:**  
Just-In Time Motor Service

**NATURE/PURPOSE:**  
Transport property owned by others for compensation

**ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY:**  
37 Riverview Ave., Fox Lake, IL. 60020, (847)973-1816.

**NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS**  
Theresa G. Daniel A. Wilkins, 37 Riverview Ave., Fox Lake, IL. 60020, (847)973-1816.

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/s/ Theresa G. Wilkins  
/s/ Daniel A. Wilkins  
Nov. 4, 2004

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 4th. day of November 2004.

**OFFICIAL SEAL**  
/s/Jamie L. Hodges  
Notary Public  
Received: Nov. 8, 2004  
Willard R. Helander  
Lake County Clerk  
1119C-6907-FL  
November 19, 26, 2004  
December 3, 2004

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**ASSUMED BUSINESS**  
**NAME application**

**NAME OF BUSINESS:**  
Sixto Robles, Jr. d/b/a/ Selbor Construction and Management

**NATURE/PURPOSE:**  
Real Estate Investments

**ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY:**  
817 W. Grand Ave., Waukegan, IL. 60085, (847) 652-1073. P.O. Box 421, Gurnee, IL. 60031.

**NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS**  
Sixto Robles, Jr., 1167 Lamb Ln., Gurnee, IL. 60031, (847)360-9985.

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/s/ Sixto Robles, Jr.  
Nov. 4, 2004

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**OFFICIAL SEAL**  
/s/Adriana Lomell  
Notary Public  
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1119C-6908-GP  
November 19, 26, 2004  
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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**ASSUMED BUSINESS**  
**NAME application**

**NAME OF BUSINESS:**  
Paris Nail Spa

**NATURE/PURPOSE:**  
Nail Salon

**ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY:**  
3070 W. Route 60, Suite A8, Mundelein, IL. 60060.

**NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS**  
Bachlie Huynh, 4514 W. Forest Ave., Waukegan, IL. 60085, (847)623-2853.

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/s/ Dan. Dohnalek  
Nov. 10, 2004

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**OFFICIAL SEAL**  
/s/Judy C. Moloney  
Notary Public  
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**ASSUMED BUSINESS**  
**NAME application**

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Restaurant carry out pizza

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/s/Dawn M. Weisell  
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VHS4DVD

**NATURE/PURPOSE:**  
DVD Products & Services

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1005 Grant Pl., Wauconda, IL. 60084, (847)526-5691.

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/s/ Dawn Kent  
/s/ Kevin Kent  
Nov. 21, 2004

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/s/Nancy Luna  
Notary Public  
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**NAME OF BUSINESS:**  
3-D Dental Service

**NATURE/PURPOSE:**  
Dentistry

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Call 847/223-8161 or 847/363-4090 for details.

## Private Party Merchandise Ad

Drop ad off in our office from 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Monday-Friday, at 30 S. Whitney, Grayslake, IL, or fax to our 24-HOUR fax line at 847-223-2691.

DEADLINE: Wednesday 12 noon.

Please allow extra time for orders being sent through mail\*.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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Please check one box below!

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> GARAGE SALES .....330      | <input type="checkbox"/> BOATS & EQUIPMENT .....710      |
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School Business and Support Services Division  
100 North First Street, Springfield, IL, 62777-0001  
217/785-8779

**ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR PUBLICATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING:**  
(Section 10-17 of the School Code) \*

DISTRICT NAME: COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT #117

DISTRICT ADDRESS: 1625 DEEP LAKE ROAD LAKE VILLA, IL 60048

SIZE OF DISTRICT IN SQUARE MILES	NUMBER OF ATTENDANCE CENTERS	NUMBER OF CERTIFICATED EMPLOYEES		ASSETS	VALUE OF CAPITAL ASSETS	BASIS OF VALUATION USED
		FULL-TIME	PART-TIME			
59	2	168	1	LAND:	2,278,679	COST
NUMBER OF NON-CERTIFICATED EMPLOYEES		AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE		BUILDINGS:	67,743,914	COST
FULL-TIME:	PART-TIME:					
206	4	2,050		EQUIPMENT:	13,003,976	COST

NUMBER OF PUPILS ENROLLED PER GRADE **					
PRE-KINDERGARTEN:	KINDERGARTEN:	FIRST:	SECOND:	THIRD:	FOURTH:
FIFTH:	SIXTH:	SEVENTH:	EIGHTH:	SPECIAL:	TOTAL ELEMENTARY:
					0
NINTH:	TENTH:	ELEVENTH:	TWELFTH:	SPECIAL:	TOTAL SECONDARY:
594	591	533	514		2,232
TAX RATE BY FUND (IN %) ***				TOTAL IN DISTRICT:	2,232

TAX RATE BY FUND (IN %) *Rate*

EDUCATIONAL	OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE	BOND & INTEREST	RENT	WORKING CASH
1.5280	0.2500	0.2090		0.0500
TRANSPORTATION	MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT	SOCIAL SECURITY	FIRE PREVENTION & SAFETY	TORT IMMUNITY
0.1200	0.0010	0.0010	0.0500	0.0150
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	SPECIAL EDUCATION	LEASING	OTHER	OTHER
	0.0200	0.0500	0.0080	
DISTRICT ASSESSED VALUATION: 985,439,809			EQUALIZED ASSESSED VALUATION PER ADA PUPIL: 480,587	
TOTAL BONDED INDEBTEDNESS AS OF: 47,662,583		June 30, 2004	PERCENT OF BONDING POWER OBLIGATED CURRENTLY: 4.80%	

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(See optional page 6 for additional space)

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STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES ARISING FROM CASH TRANSACTIONS/STATEMENT OF POSITION June 30, 2001

	Asset No.	1998 Amount	1999 Amount	2000 Amount	2001 Amount	1998 Amount	1999 Amount	2000 Amount	2001 Amount
<b>Assets</b>									
Cash	100	18,700.14	2,907,818	3,726,747	1,156,720	218,330	1,241,772	940,907	279,448
Time Deposits	101	3,437,454	998,379		1,438,729		119,000		
U.S. Savings Bonds	102	294,320							
U.S. Treasury Bonds	103	22,110,897	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	104	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	105	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	106	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	107	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	108	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	109	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
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U.S. Savings Bonds	141	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	142	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	143	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	144	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	145	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	146	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	147	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	148	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	149	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	150	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	151	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	152	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	153	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	154	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	155	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	156	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	157	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	158	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	159	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	160	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	161	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	162	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	163	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	164	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	165	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	166	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	167	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	168	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	169	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	170	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	171	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	172	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	173	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	174	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	175	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	176	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	177	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	178	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	179	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	180	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	181	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	182	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	183	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	184	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	185	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	186	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	187	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	188	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	189	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	190	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	191	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	192	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	193	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	194	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	195	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	196	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	197	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	198	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	199	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	200	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	201	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	202	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	203	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	204	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	205	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	206	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	207	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	208	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	209	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	210	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	211	8,148,481	3,811,811		1,778,000		99,470		247,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	212	1,693,829		22,700					
U.S. Savings Bonds	213	22,103,310	3,177,269	3,778,410	3,889,647	118,330	3,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	214	21,554,185	4,172,239	3,284,410	2,169,410	318,330	1,311,772	249,460	279,448
U.S. Savings Bonds	215	16,772,895					229,460	19,742,000	
U.S. Savings Bonds	216	8,148,481							

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES ARISING FROM CASH TRANSACTIONS/STATEMENT OF POSITION June 30, 2004											
Description	And Yes	(14) Subtotal	(15) Payments & Repayments	(16) Debit & Debitout	(17) Transposition	(18) Standard Payment & Debit Transfer	(19) Site & Transposition Credit Improvement	(20) Financing Class	(21) Debit	(22) Pay Period End & Balance	
Interest Received (Page)	1/00										
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Notes. The data needed to complete this document should be obtained from pages 2, 5, 6, 7, and 8 of the School District Annual Financial Report (FDSE 90-30) or the Joint Agreement Annual Financial Report (FDSE 90-30).

<sup>a</sup> Other Approved Assets should include accounts 130, 140, 182, 191, 192.

<sup>b</sup> Accrued Liabilities should include accounts 401-405, 411-413, 420, 441, 442, 461.

<sup>c</sup> GASB Statement No. 34: Accounting and Financial Reporting for Certain Grants and Other Financial Assistance. The "On Behalf of" Payments should only be reflected on the page (lines 40 and 48).

<sup>d</sup> Line 38 refers Line 47.

<sup>e</sup> Requires notification to the county clerk to allocate an equal amount from taxes not understood.

<sup>f</sup> Use of proceeds from the sale of school sites, buildings or other real estate is limited. See Sections 3-5.12 and 17-2.11 of the School Code.

<sup>g</sup> Line 49 refers Line 78.







ILLINOIS STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
School Business and Support Services Division  
100 North First Street, Springfield, IL 62777-0001  
217/785-8779

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR PUBLICATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING: June 30, 2004  
(Section 10-17 of the School Code) \*

DISTRICT NAME  
Round Lake Area School District 116

DISTRICT ADDRESS  
316 South Rosedale Court, Round Lake, Illinois 60073

SIZE OF DISTRICT IN SQUARE MILES	NUMBER OF ATTENDANCE CENTERS	NUMBER OF CERTIFICATED EMPLOYEES		ASSETS	VALUE OF CAPITAL ASSETS	BASIS OF VALUATION USED
		FULL-TIME	PART-TIME			
0	8	395	9	AND	1,005,635	June 30, 2004 Audit Report
NUMBER OF NON-CERTIFICATED EMPLOYEES		AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE		BUILDINGS		June 30, 2004 Audit Report
FULL-TIME	PART-TIME			EQUIPMENT <td></td> <td>June 30, 2004 Audit Report</td>		June 30, 2004 Audit Report
221	12	6,128			10,885,441	

NUMBER OF PUPILS ENROLLED PER GRADE \*\*

PRE-KINDERGARTEN	KINDERGARTEN	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH
13	551	624	568	554	529
FIFTH	SIXTH	SEVENTH	EIGHTH	SPECIAL	TOTAL ELEMENTARY
522	494	520	440	137	4,052
NINTH	TENTH	ELEVENTH	TWELFTH	SPECIAL	TOTAL SECONDARY
509	425	352	308	45	1,837
TOTAL IN DISTRICT				6,589	

TAX RATE BY FUND (IN %) \*\*

EDUCATIONAL	OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE	BOND & INTEREST	RENT	WORKING CASH
3.3940	0.4900	0.8800		0.0450
TRANSPORTATION	MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT	SOCIAL SECURITY	FIRE PREVENTION & SAFETY	TORT LIABILITY
0.1900	0.1490	0.0100	0.0450	0.2370
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	SPECIAL EDUCATION	LEASING	OTHER	OTHER
	0.0400	0.0450		
DISTRICT ASSESSED VALUATION 400,805,417		EQUALIZED ASSESSED VALUATION PER ALTA PUPIL 61,740		
TOTAL BONDED DEBT MATURITY AS OF: JUN 30, 2004 39,904,173		PERCENT OF BONDED POWER OBLIGATED CURRENTLY 71.09%		

GROSS PAYMENT FOR CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL  
(List Each Employee in the Applicable Salary Range)

(See optional page 6 for additional space)

a. Salary Range: Less Than \$15,000  
See Attached

b. Salary Range: \$15,000 - \$24,999  
See Attached

c. Salary Range: \$25,000 - \$39,999  
See Attached

d. Salary Range: \$40,000 and over  
See Attached

GROSS PAYMENT FOR NON-CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL  
(List Each Employee in the Applicable Salary Range)

(See optional page 6 for additional space)

a. Salary Range: Less Than \$15,000  
See Attached

b. Salary Range: \$15,000 - \$24,999  
See Attached

c. Salary Range: \$25,000 - \$39,999  
See Attached

d. Salary Range: \$40,000 and over  
See Attached

\* When publishing this report in the newspaper, the requirements must be accordance with 715 ILCS 15/1

\*\* As reported on the Fall Housing Report

\*\*\* Example: If the tax rate for educational purposes is \$1.84 per \$100 of EAV, it is shown as 1.8400, not as a percentage of the total tax rate

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## VENDORS PAID OVER \$1,000

103 TRANSPORTATION 59,712.25 ; A T & T 8,095.00 ;  
A-TIRE COUNTY SERVICE 2,083.73 ; ACADEMIC COMMUNICATION ASSOC 1,254.87 ;  
ACCURATE PARTITIONS CORP 1,871.00 ; ACE HARDWARE 16,723.57 ;  
ACM ELEVATOR CO 3,979.98 ; ACT 3,313.20 ; ACT FINANCE 2,410.25 ;  
ADT SECURITY SERVICES 1,617.24 ; ADVANCED BUSINESS TECH 1,700.00 ;  
ADVANCED TECH CONSULTANTS 3,598.20 ; ADVANTAGE MECHANICAL 23,632.23 ;  
ADVANTAGE SUPPLY CO 3,793.50 ; AOS 4,570.41 ; AID ASSN FOR LUTHERANS 2,400.00 ;  
AL WASHINGTON 16,210.44 ; ALL AMERICAN SPORTS CORP 13,834.77 ;  
ALLEDALE 138,342.42 ; ALLIANZ LIFE INSURANCE CO 14,784.00 ;  
ALTHOFF INDUSTRIES INC 118,492.61 ; AMEREN ENERGY MARKETING 227,192.95 ;  
AMERICAN BACKFLOW 1,755.00 ; AMERICAN EXPRESS FINANCIAL 18,600.00 ;  
AMERICAN FUNDS GROUP 34,163.44 ; AMERICAN GUIDANCE SERVICE INC 2,025.46 ;  
AMERICAN GUIDANCE SERVICE INC 5,098.98 ;  
AMERICAN SPEECH LANGUAGE-HEARING ASSOC 1,595.00 ;  
ANCHOR TRANSPORTATION 17,385.00 ; ANDERSON PEST CONTROL 4,265.86 ;  
ANGELO DABIERO ASSOC 6,986.55 ; ANNUITY PREMIUM RESERVE ACCOUNT 4,930.00 ;  
ANTIOCH AUTO PARTS 2,862.77 ; ANTIOCH COMM HIGH SCHOOL 22,864.70 ;  
ANTIOCH TIRE INC #2 2,987.34 ; APOLLO PORTABLE TOILETS 2,835.48 ;  
ARAPARK UNIFORM SERVICES INC 1,912.78 ; ARTHUR J GALLAGHER RISK 1,058.00 ;  
AT&T 1,784.30 ; AT&T 4,996.80 ; ATS INC 3,600.00 ; ATS SPORTS 1,688.75 ;  
AVALON PETROLEUM COMPANY 57,772.10 ; AWARDS BY KAYDAN 1,105.65 ;  
B N WOLF LINES CO 912,813.01 ; BANK ONE 1,000.00 ;  
BANK ONE TRUST COMPANY, NA 163,792.66 ; BARBARA HUGHES PHD NCSP 1,250.00 ;  
BARRON PAINT 2,839.73 ; BASEBALL WAREHOUSE 1,109.87 ;  
BENCHMARK EDUCATION CO 2,683.92 ; BENSON ELECTRIC INC 2,464,955.83 ;  
BERLER COMMUNICATIONS 2,121.00 ; BILINGUAL THERAPIES INC 6,600.00 ;  
BLACK ENGINEERING 8,549.25 ; BLUE BIRD BODY CO 293,900.00 ;  
BNY MIDWEST TRUST CO 2,663,151.26 ; BRITCHES, ISABEL 69,717.04 ;  
BRUCKER CO 8,189.38 ; BUCCON INC 5,303.71 ; BUNCH DISTRIBUTING INC 1,140.50 ;  
BUREAU OF EDUCATION 4,195.50 ; BUREAU OF EDUCATION & RESEARCH 3,447.00 ;  
CALUMET CLEANING SERVICE 1,380.00 ; CAMELOT SCHOOL, LLC 226,139.11 ;  
CANON BUSINESS SOLUTIONS 84,374.87 ; CAREY ELECTRIC 531,772.55 ;  
CAROLINA BIOLOGICAL SUPPLY CO 1,670.11 ; CDM GOVERNMENT INC 32,902.80 ;  
CENTRAL BAPTIST FAMILY SERVICES 2,714.32 ; CHAIN O'LAKES LUMBER CO 5,021.71 ;  
CHAIN O'LAKES PLUMBING & HEATING 5,597.00 ; CHAMBERLIN, BOBBI 1,462.50 ;  
CHARTWELLS 1,504,372.01 ; CHEMCRAP INDUSTRIES INC 4,705.74 ;  
CHICAGO SIGN 2,925.00 ; CHICAGO TITLE INSURANCE CO 1,000.00 ;  
CHILDWORK/CHILDPLAY 1,215.65 ; CIRCLE CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION INC 640,078.20 ;  
CITICORP VENDOR FINANCE INC 89,603.00 ; COLLEGIATE PACIFIC 1,054.50 ;  
COLOR TILE 2,537.00 ; COM ED 16,949.72 ; COMED 33,603.49 ;  
COMED ACCT#0050450005 51,002.60 ; COMED ACCT#0213576026 60,656.78 ;  
COMED ACCT#2320279009 26,159.12 ; COMED ACCT#2654401006 32,332.55 ;  
COMMUNITY INTERVENTION 1,032.21 ; COMPASSION BOOKS 1,295.49 ;  
COMPMASTER 1,106.70 ; COMPUTER POWER SYSTEMS INC 4,739.40 ;  
CONDELL MEDICAL CENTER 22,050.00 ; CONNECTIONS DAY SCHOOL 424,387.06 ;  
CONNECTIONS DAY SCHOOL SOUTH CAMPUS INC 25,327.72 ; CONSERV FS 2,314.24 ;  
CONSERVE FARM SUPPLY 1,051.70 ; CONSTRUCTION SYSTEMS INC 369,925.13 ;  
CONSUMER COOPERATIVE CREDIT UN 14,050.00 ; COPELAND COMPANIES 80,807.92 ;  
CORPORATE EXPRESS 7,161.18 ; CORNELL INTERVENTIONS 1,360.00 ;  
CORPORATE EXPRESS 35,732.05 ; CROWN GYM MATS, INC. 4,426.00 ;  
CUTLER HARDWARE AND WORKMEAN 20,435.25 ; DAKTECH COMPUTERS 2,148.00 ;  
DAVE'S TRANSMISSION 4,902.00 ; DBM ELECTRONICS 42,524.70 ;  
DEL'S ELECTRIC SERVICE INC 5,651.02 ; DELAWARE COATINGS INC 4,547.65 ;  
DEMCO INC 1,305.10 ; DEPT. JUSTICE, 067D0347841 2,079.00 ;  
DESIGNATION INC 33,135.31 ; DICK POND ATHLETICS INC 1,006.00 ;  
DIV OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES 2,100.00 ; DK CONTRACTORS INC 344,218.50 ;

DUBS COMPANY INC 69,577.00 ; EDER CASELLA & CO 12,700.00 ;  
EDUCATION ASSOCIATION OF ROUND LAKE 6,152.43 ; EDUCATIONAL DESIGN INC 1,918.68 ;  
EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES 1,658.65 ; EDUCATORS PUBLISHING SERVICE 2,181.17 ;  
EDWARDS ENGINEERING INC 21,344.85 ; ELECTRONIC LEARNING 7,800.00 ;  
ELGIN AREA OFFICIALS ASSOCIATION 5,750.00 ; ELITE EXCAVATING 107,531.10 ;  
ELTON PRODUCTS 1,132.67 ; EMD CO INC 4,944.37 ;  
ENGINEERING CONSULTING 15,045.54 ; EQUIPMENT INT'L LTD 2,529.00 ;  
EQUITABLE EQUI-VEST 17,970.00 ; ETA/COUSSENAIRE 4,695.06 ;  
F & H DOOR AND HARDWARE 32,215.00 ; FACTS ON FILE INC 2,095.00 ;  
FAMILY SERVICE AGENCY OF NORTH LAKE COUNTY 3,375.00 ;  
FED KEMPER LIFE ASSURANCE CO 1,200.00 ; FEDERAL SUPPLY CO 4,276.57 ;  
FIDELITY RETIREMENT SERVICES 21,809.00 ; FIRST COMMONWEALTH INC 38,764.33 ;  
FIRST INVESTORS 11,275.00 ; FIRST STATE BANK OF ROUND LAKE 1,000,000.00 ;  
FOGLE, CAROL A. 10,350.00 ; FOLLETT EDUCATIONAL SERVICES 45,197.52 ;  
FOLLETT LIBRARY RESOURCES 61,256.91 ; FOLLETT SOFTWARE CO 8,368.79 ;  
FORMAN, THOMAS 6,547.50 ; FRAN LAWLOR ASSOC 3,200.00 ;  
FRANK COONEY CO INC 94,537.04 ; FRANK'S FLOORS 4,511.00 ;  
FRANKLIN ELECTRONIC PUBL 5,502.84 ; FRED PRYOR SEMINARS 1,639.00 ;  
FRED REIMER & ASSOC 3,200.00 ; GAKAY, MARICELA 6,914.08 ;  
GE CAPITAL PUBLIC FINANCE 55,576.59 ; GEIER, ANA 1,068.49 ;  
GHA TECHNOLOGIES INC 46,108.40 ; GLENN STEARNS 5,737.20 ;  
GOODMAN WEST ELECTRIC 2,554.66 ; GRAINGER, M W 6,565.18 ;  
GRANT HIGH SCHOOL 4,695.00 ; GRAPHIC 14 INC 4,510.57 ;  
GREAT IDEAS FOR TEACHING INC 1,586.30 ; GREEN ASSOC ARCHITECTS INC 467,791.46 ;  
GROW PUBLICATIONS 3,504.37 ; GROWER EQUIPMENT & SUPPLY CO 1,073.41 ;  
GUARDIAN 145,045.56 ; H O H CHEMICALS INC 5,996.57 ; HAMPTON BROWN CO 6,069.55 ;  
HARCOURT BRACE 14,562.98 ; HARCOURT 3,975.75 ; HARCOURT BRACE & CO 76,526.17 ;  
HARCOURT SCHOOL PUBL 284,429.02 ; HARRIS BANK 236,341.00 ;  
HARRY K MONS PUBLICATIONS, INC 1,614.00 ; IAN THORNE EDUCATIONAL 1,766.60 ;  
HAYDEN'S ATHLETIC 19,817.51 ; HEARTSTATION INC 1,160.10 ;

HORACE MAHN COMPANIES 11,993.89 ; HORACE MAHN LIFE INSURANCE CO 32,408.36 ;  
HORIZON SOFTWARE INTL LLC 12,837.59 ; HORNS TREE SERVICE 2,050.00 ;  
HOUGHTON MIFFLIN CO 7,313.79 ; HOUGHTON MIFFLIN CO 12,645.29 ;  
HOUGHTON MIFFLIN COMPANY 3,662.86 ; HOWARD LEE & SONS INC 1,924.00 ;  
HOWARD SURVEYING CO, INC 1,875.00 ; HUNTER, PHYLLIS 8,080.28 ;  
ICE MOUNTAIN SPRING WATER 1,556.59 ; IDENTITECH 1,931.90 ;  
IEA CREDIT UNION 84,141.52 ; ILL ASSN OF SCHOOL ADMIN 1,583.00 ;  
ILL ASSN OF SCHOOL BOARDS 7,159.00 ;  
ILL DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY 62,628.65 ; ILL DEPT OF REVENUE 3,824.61 ;  
ILL DEPT OF REVENUE 559,881.09 ; ILL HIGH SCHOOL ASSN 1,000.00 ;  
ILL MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT FUND 433,219.93 ; ILL PRINCIPALS ASSN 3,754.25 ;  
ILL SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF 2,100.00 ; ILL STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION 4,258.00 ;  
ILLINOIS DEPT. OF REVENUE 2,454.24 ; ILLINOIS MASONRY CORPORATION 1,570,090.50 ;  
INACOM INFORMATION SYSTEMS 1,882.50 ; INACOM COMPUTER SYSTEMS 2,732.67 ;  
INDUSTRIAL ARTS SUPPLY COMPANY 1,218.77 ; INDUSTRIAL TOWEL & UNIFORM 28,173.99 ;  
INTERFACE SIGN SYSTEMS INC 22,212.29 ; INNOVATIVE PLASTIC 1,778.50 ;  
INOC INC 75,711.97 ; INSTITUTE FOR EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT 1,432.00 ;  
Internal Revenue Service 3,512.52 ; INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE 6,732.33 ;  
INTERSTATE MUSIC SUPPLY 1,144.58 ; IPS RECREATION INC 3,150.00 ; ISAC 1,052.84 ;  
ISBE SCHOOL TECHNOLOGY REVOLVING LOAN FUND 42,209.82 ;  
ISOLAP PLUS COLLECTIVE LIABILITY INSURANCE CO 677,228.00 ;  
J P MORGAN CHASE BANK ITS FEE BILLING 1,600.00 ; J M PEPER & SON INC 3,827.13 ;

J.A. SEKAUER 1,170.16 ; JACKSON NAT'L LIFE INS CO 4,800.00 ;  
JAMES HANLIN CONSULTING 31,822.50 ; JAMES STANFIELD CO. INC. 3,294.50 ;  
JANUS 1,600.00 ; JB GLASS & BOARD-UP SERVICE 21,487.00 ;  
JENNIFER SWANSON-HILLBO 4,027.50 ; JENSEN DISPOSAL SERVICE 21,694.00 ;  
JERRI RYAN 48,000.00 ; JNS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSOCIATES 9,383.00 ;  
JOHNSON CONTROLS 31,464.27 ; JOHNSON CONTROLS 71,879.68 ;  
JOHNSON CONTROLS INC 24,549.39 ; JOSEPH ACADEMY 4,817.32 ;  
JOSEPH WEIL & SONS INC 1,021.82 ; JOSTINS INC 2,846.87 ;  
JSE ENTERPRISES INC 3,840.00 ; K-MART SUPER STORE 3,877.13 ; KAPLAN 36,000.00 ;  
KAPLAN INC 16,004.00 ; KATHY ARNOLD AND STEVE OLINK 18,000.00 ;  
KELLERHEART OIL CO 1,537.80 ; KENNEDY 1,782.00 ; KRAFT PAPER SALES 14,500.90 ;  
LAB SAFETY SUPPLY 3,410.20 ; LAB VOLT SYSTEMS INC 3,960.80 ;  
LAIDLAM TRANSIT INC 1,077,238.88 ; LAKE CITY EDUCATIONAL SERVICES 9,587.00 ;  
LAKE CITY HEALTH DEPT 1,653.00 ;  
LAKE CITY REGIONAL OFFICE OF EDUCATION 1,463.17 ;  
LAKE COUNTY MATERIAL HANDLING 2,514.44 ; LAKE FOREST HOSPITAL 3,452.00 ;  
LAKELAND COMMUNICATION 1,802.75 ; LAKELAND COMMUNITY BANK 16,883.49 ;  
LAKELAND COMMUNITY BANK 62,135.86 ; LAKELAND COMMUNITY BANK 569,581.62 ;  
LAKELAND COMMUNITY BANK 2,375,968.18 ; LAKELAND MEDIA 3,673.40 ;  
LAKESHORE 2,336.42 ; LANGUAGE LINE SERVICES 4,297.54 ;  
LANTEX REFRIGERATED 12,199.62 ; LARSON CO 433,833.61 ; LASALLE BANK 421,841.61 ;  
LAU, CAPITOLA 5,155.50 ; LIBERTYVILLE TILE & CARPET LTD 12,099.50 ;  
LIBRARY VIDEO CO 6,708.03 ; LICHTASH, DAVID 2,400.00 ;  
LILIANA ISOE EDS NCSP 16,850.00 ; LINGEL, GEORGE 1,733.62 ;  
LINGUI SYSTEMS INC 1,933.09 ; LISA MALONEY 1,345.00 ;  
LONESTAR BADGE & SIGN CO 1,942.46 ; LOW VOLTAGE SOLUTIONS 1,280.00 ;  
LOWERY McDONNELL CO 92,853.95 ; LUDA TREASURER, KAY GREEN 3,000.00 ;  
LUTHERAN GENERAL HOSPITAL 1,596.00 ; M O & S SALES INC 6,497.58 ;  
MAGNA & JOHNSON 3,342.49 ; MAGNATAQ 1,496.58 ; MAJOR APPLIANCE 2,061.66 ;  
MALONEY, DR J MICHAEL 2,800.00 ; MANEVAL CONSTRUCTION CO INC 44,570.37 ;  
MANPOWER 22,962.50 ; MARJOS GENERAL CONTRACTING 119,720.22 ;  
MARK GOEBEL ENTERPRISES INC 26,880.00 ; MARQUETTE NAT'L BANK 23,876.00 ;  
MARX, GEORGEANNE 1,964.90 ; MARVILLE ACADEMY 4,425.00 ;  
MASTER LOCK CO 1,784.00 ; MASTER LOCK CO 8,817.00 ; MASTER TEACHER 2,853.90 ;  
MCGRAN HILL 32,362.42 ; MCHENRY COUNTY GLASS 80,971.00 ;  
MCHENRY ELECTRIC 1,185.19 ; MEDCO SCHOOL FIRST AID 2,590.91 ;  
MEDICAL RESEARCH LABORATORIES INC 4,471.00 ; MEDS-PON 4,414.22 ;  
HELLO SMELLO/SAFETY STOP 1,639.60 ; MENARDS - GURNEE 2,908.09 ;  
MENARDS-FOX LAKE 2,610.12 ; METALMASTER/ROOFMASTER INC 122,273.10 ;  
METROPOLITAN INVESTORS USA 2,460.00 ;  
METROPOLITAN PREPARATORY SCHOOLS INC 353,935.96 ; MEYER, KAY B 1,380.00 ;  
MF ATHLETIC CO 1,111.75 ; MJ MECHANICAL CONTRACTING INC 1,040,042.10 ;  
MJ MECHANICAL PLUMBING SERVICES INC 456,867.29 ;  
MICRO COMPUTER CENTERS 29,512.44 ; MID AMERICA SALES ASSOCIATES 3,915.20 ;  
MIDWEST TRANSIT EQUIP INC 300,381.44 ; MIDWEST TRUCKERS ASSN 2,202.50 ;  
MILLER, KATHY 1,305.00 ; MIMS, STANLEY 12,970.68 ; MOLITOR INSURANCE 9,853.00 ;  
MONDELEIN DISPOSAL 11,912.80 ; MONTELEIN HIGH SCHOOL 28,285.39 ;  
MUSIC CENTER INC 6,307.00 ; MUSIC STARTS HERE 13,947.07 ;  
N S C SOCCER FUND 2,679.00 ; NASCO 5,448.53 ;  
NAT'L INTERNATIONAL ROOFING 10,624.00 ; NEFT AWARDS 1,388.98 ;  
NEHER ELECTRIC SUPPLY 4,616.06 ; NELSON FIRE PROTECTION 63,900.00 ;  
NEOPOST LEASING 4,947.16 ; NESTER, NANCY 1,366.00 ; NEUCO, INC. 3,385.58 ;  
NEVCO SCOREBOARD CO 11,323.00 ; NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE 4,100.00 ;  
NEXTEL 20,898.89 ; NICOR GAS 12,975.08 ;  
NICOR GAS ACCT#5 27-74-3940 3,456.30 ;  
NICOR GAS--ACCT#5 25-80-1990 9 2,587.02 ;

NICOR GAS--ACCT#5 25-80-2000 6 4,540.81 ;  
NICOR GAS--ACCT#5 25-80-2011 7 6,501.06 ;  
NORMAN CHAPMAN, MD & ASSOC 30 2,300.00 ;  
NORTH SUBURBAN CONF BOYS SPORT 5,728.00 ; NORTH SUBURBAN CONFERENCE 4,750.00 ;  
NORTH SUBURBAN CONFERENCE BOYS 2,776.00 ; NORTH TOWN FOOD SERVICE 1,236.00 ;  
NORTHERN ILL MACK INC 3,236.20 ; NORTHWEST FIRE EXTINGUISHER 3,701.70 ;  
NORTHWEST SUBURBAN SPECIAL ED 63,257.05 ; OLYMPIC TECHNOLOGIES 4,935.00 ;  
ORIENTAL TRADING CO 2,213.73 ; OVERHEAD DOOR CO 3,642.88 ; P.C.C. INC 1,459.00 ;  
PALISADE SYSTEMS INC 8,502.00 ; PALOS SPORTS INC 1,072.87 ;  
PATMAN JANITORIAL SERVICE 5,435.50 ; PAULSEN'S COMMERCIAL 1,390.00 ;  
PATMAN BEAUTIFUL WOODS 1,438.82 ; PCL EDUCATIONAL PUBL 1,297.43 ;

PALISADE SYSTEMS INC 8,502.00 ; PALOS SPORTS INC 1,072.87 ;  
PATMAN JANITORIAL SERVICE 5,435.50 ; PAULSEN'S COMMERCIAL 1,390.00 ;  
PATMAN BEAUTIFUL WOODS 1,438.82 ; PCL EDUCATIONAL PUBL 1,297.43 ;  
PEARSON EDUCATION 4,594.20 ; PEARSON EDUCATION 6,084.99 ;  
PEARSON EDUCATION 64,284.81 ; PENNSYLVANIA SCUB 1,418.78 ;  
PENTON SYSTEMS 3,550.43 ; PEOPLES ENERGY SERVICE CORP 212,548.10 ;  
PERMA BOND 2,509.00 ; PHATTEES 2,504.25 ; PHONAR 2,686.05 ;  
PIONEER PACKAGING 1,950.40 ; PLUMMASTER 2,508.75 ; POSTMASTER 2,178.25 ;  
PREMIER SCHOOL ACQUIS 25,306.45 ; PRENGERST, ROBERT 2,202.00 ;  
PREVENTION PARTNERS INC 1,074.00 ; PRIMERICA SHAREHOLDER SERVICES 3,204.00 ;  
PRO-ED 1,751.40 ; PROACT SEARCH INC 7,730.76 ;  
PROVENA ST THERESE MEDICAL CTR 2,430.00 ; PUTNAM FIDUCIARY TRUST CO 21,994.00 ;  
QUESTECH INC 9,000.00 ; QUILL CORP 3,018.29 ; R & G CONSULTANTS 20,518.49 ;  
R & W ENTERPRISES 5,900.00 ; R A ADAMS ENTERPRISES INC 1,461.43 ;  
R J RIDGELY CO INC 77,788.00 ; R3 ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT INC 3,720.00 ;  
RADI-LINK INC 4,402.45 ; RAINBOW AUTO BODY 2,878.70 ;  
RAMCO DISTRIBUTION 15,192.48 ; RANDOLPH SCHOOL SUPPLY 1,277.50 ;  
RANGER RICE 1,020.00 ; REALITYWORKS 1,355.55 ; REBECCA STUDIOS INC 1,916.25 ;  
REFLECTIVE IMAGE 3,709.89 ; RENAISSANCE LEARNING INC 2,228.83 ;  
RESEARCH FOR BETTER TEACHING, INC 3,642.81 ; RICCI, SANDRA 1,515.10 ;  
RILEY CONSTRUCTION CO 349,789.44 ; RILEY/ISA 215,538.01 ;  
ROBBINS SCHWARTZ NICHOLAS 43,693.00 ; ROCKENBACH CHEVROLET 9,818.01 ;  
ROCKTON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO 140 30,364.56 ; ROSEN STEFANI PHD 3,505.00 ;  
ROUND LAKE AREA PARK DISTRICT 114,088.87 ; ROUND LAKE AREA SCHOOL 1,673.40 ;  
ROUND LAKE AREA SCHOOL 8,633.50 ; ROUND LAKE AREA SCHOOLS 1,844.63 ;  
ROUND LAKE AREA SCHOOLS 9,789.96 ; ROUND LAKE AREA SCHOOLS 12,055.82 ;  
ROUND LAKE AREA SCHOOLS 46,087.00 ; ROUND LAKE HIGH SCHOOL 1,170.00 ;  
RON MCGILVER INC 13,741.00 ; RUFFALO PAINTING CO INC 9,788.40 ;  
ROSKILD SPORTS INC 2,601.00 ; RANTO SPORT STORE 11,552.16 ;  
ROSENBERG WELCH 1,190.41 ; SAXON PUBL INC 4,147.09 ; SBC 38,411.49 ;  
SCANTRON CORP 2,746.22 ; SCHOLASTIC INC 5,834.44 ; SCHOLASTIC INC 7,744.38 ;  
SCHOLASTIC LIBRARY PUBLISHING 5,672.37 ; SCHOLASTIC MAGAZINES 4,054.44 ;  
SCHOLIC HEALTH CORP 1,590.58 ; SCHOOL SPECIALTY INC 1,557.46 ;  
SCHOOL SPECIALTY INC 123,792.86 ; SCHOOLMART 2,919.81 ;  
SCIENCE KIT & BOREAL 4,571.64 ; SDE INC 6,558.75 ; SHOENEN FENCE 6,360.00 ;  
SIGN CENTRAL 2,515.00 ; SIMPLEX GRINELL LP 9,527.33 ;  
SIMPLEX TIME RECORDER CO 12,118.10 ; SKYWARD 18,051.19 ;  
SONITROL CHICAGO NORTH 9,037.46 ; SPECIAL EDUCATION DISTRICT 3,064,504.72 ;  
SPORTS IMPORTS INC 3,959.00 ; SPORTS OFFICIALS ASSIGNMENT CO 3,853.00 ;  
STAFF DEVELOPMENT FOR EDUCATOR 18,710.00 ;  
STAFF DEVELOPMENT RESOURCES 1,491.00 ; STAFFORD-SMITH INC 101,440.26 ;  
STATE DISBURSEMENT UNIT 1,200.00 ; STATE DISBURSEMENT UNIT 1,707.82 ;  
STATE DISBURSEMENT UNIT 2,633.40 ; STATE DISBURSEMENT UNIT 4,796.54 ;  
STATE DISBURSEMENT UNIT 9,488.00 ; STATE OF FLORIDA 4,318.00 ;  
STATE OF FLORIDA DISBURSEMENT 3,686.00 ; STEFFENS, TAMMIE 1,740.00 ;  
STEINER ELECTRIC 6,214.29 ; STIRCYCLE INC 1,282.38 ;  
STONEWALL, DENNIS 8,847.48 ; STREAMWOOD BEHAVIORAL HLTH CNT 1,540.00 ;  
SUMMIT PRODUCTS 4,220.00 ; SUPER COVER PUBL 2,843.76 ;

TEACHER'S DISCOVERY 2,090.56 ; TEACHER'S VIDEO CO 2,522.31 ;  
TEACHERS HEALTH INS SECURITY 25,506.82 ;  
TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM 135,663.48 ;  
TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM 236,946.56 ;  
TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF 1,885,872.25 ; TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS 143,558.99 ;  
TECHSTAR AMERICA CORP 1,012.90 ; TENNIS SURFACES CO 1,450.00 ;  
TEPPER ELECTRIC SUPPLY 3,786.32 ; TFW SURVEYING & MAPPING INC 5,988.00 ;  
THE CENTER 2,430.00 ; THE ELTON CORP 14,940.16 ;  
THE HONORABLE ALPHONSE WITT 2,700.00 ; THE HOPE SCHOOL 3,073.50 ;  
THE HOPE SCHOOL 33,825.77 ; THE HORACE MAHN COMPANIES 42,776.14 ;  
THE NEFF CO 1,677.08 ; THE PRUDENTIAL 10,368.00 ;  
THE PSYCHOLOGICAL CORP 2,218.89 ; THE SCOPE SHOPPE 1,941.00 ;  
THERAPY CARE LTD 144,299.25 ; THIS FUND 235,794.41 ;  
THOMPSON LEARNING DIST CENTER 2,454.81 ; THOMSON LEARNING 1,521.07 ;  
THYSSENKRUPP ELEVATOR CORP 2,295.75 ; TIES 8,161.00 ;  
TIRES N TRACKS INC 44,736.12 ; TKB ASSOCIATES INC 32,602.00 ;  
TOOL CRIB 2,282.85 ; TOTAL SYSTEMS ROOFING 2,240.00 ;  
TOWN & COUNTRY POWER EQUIPMENT 5,326.99 ; TRANE 2,154.38 ;  
TRANSAMERICA PUBLIC FINANCE 166,729.77 ; TRANSWORLD SYSTEMS INC 4,725.00 ;  
TROST, CARLYN 1,161.52 ; TYCO VALVE AND CONTROLS 2,052.87 ;  
U S DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION 1,034.93 ; ULTIMATE OFFICE 1,702.43 ;  
UNISOURCE CHICAGO 44,602.20 ; UNISOURCE WORLDWIDE INC 9,527.00 ;  
UNISYS 4,812.00 ; UNITED HEALTHCARE OF ILLINOIS 3,187,418.26 ;  
US POSTAL SERVICE 33,704.36 ; VALDES ENTERPRISES INC 34,733.05 ;  
VALLEY LITHO SUPPLY CO 5,633.87 ; VALOR TECHNOLOGIES INC 34,805.00 ;  
VAN'S ENTERPRISES LTD 2,970.78 ; VANDERGRIFF, JEAN 1,596.00 ;  
VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST CO 58,566.98 ;  
VARIABLE ANNUITY LIFE INS. CO. 80,561.00 ; VARITRONIC SYSTEMS 3,532.75 ;  
VERIZON WIRELESS 3,100.90 ; VERNON HILLS PEDIATRIC 4,900.00 ;  
VERSTRANS SOLUTIONS INC 26,790.00 ; VICTORIN BUSINESS MACHINES 35,148.85 ;  
VILLAGE OF ROUND LAKE 6,997.64 ; VILLAGE OF ROUND LAKE 78,488.44 ;  
VILLAGE OF ROUND LAKE BEACH 2,330.90 ; VILLAGE OF ROUND LAKE BEACH 10,289.08 ;  
VILLAGE OF ROUND LAKE HEIGHTS 88,630.71 ; VILLAGE OF ROUND LAKE PARK 8,325.41 ;  
VOLLING, PATRICIA 1,157.57 ; WALTER KORPAN 11,633.66 ;  
WAUKEGAN SAFE & LOCK LTD 5,037.00 ; WEISER EDUCATIONAL 3,011.75 ;  
WELSH PRODUCTS INC 1,007.57 ; WEST, PAT 38,040.00 ;  
WESTCO ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES INC 2,712.50 ;  
WESTERN PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES 1,242.40 ; WILLIAM V MACGILL & CO 7,857.27 ;  
WISCONSIN DEPT OF REVENUE 61,538.96 ; WISCONSIN SUPPORT COLLECTIONS 15,638.00 ;  
WOODWORKER SUPPLY 2,774.1



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## STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES ARISING FROM CASH TRANSACTIONS/STATEMENT OF POSITION June 30, 2004

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Description	Acct No	(10) Educational	(20) Operations & Maintenance	(30) Bond & Interest	(40) Transportation	(50) Municipal Retirement & Social Security	(60) Site & Construction/ Capital Improvement	(70) Working Cash	(80) Rent	(90) Fire Prevention & Safety
<b>CURRENT ASSETS (100)</b>										
1 Cash (Accounts 101 thru 105)		7,884,430	459,694	5,890,645	470,059	396,146	4,515,844	100,999		286,716
2 Other Accrued Assets (GAAP)	a									
3 Taxes Receivable (GAAP)	110									
4 Accounts Receivable (GAAP)	120									
5 Loan to Educational Fund	151							840,000		
6 Loan to Operations and Maintenance Fund	152							450,000		
7 Loan to Transportation Fund	153									
8 Loan to Fire Prevention and Safety Fund	154									
9 Loan to Other Funds	155							3,515,365		
10 Inventory	170									
11 Investments	180									
12 Other Current Assets	199									
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>		7,884,430	459,694	5,890,645	470,059	396,146	4,515,844	4,906,364	0	286,716
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES (400)</b>										
14 Accrued Liabilities (GAAP)	b									
15 Corp. Personal Prop. Repl. TANs Payable	406									
16 Tax Anticipation Warrants Payable	407	7,000,000								
17 Tax Anticipation Notes (TANs) Payable	408									
18 Teachers/Employees' Orders Payable	409									
19 State Aid Anticipation Certificates Payable	410									
20 Loan from Educational Fund	431									
21 Loan from Operations and Maintenance Fund	432									
22 Loan from Transportation Fund	433									
23 Loan from Working Cash Fund	434	840,000	450,000	3,515,365						
24 Payroll Deductions Payable	450									
25 Deferred Revenue (GAAP Basis)	474									
26 Due to Activity Fund Organizations	480									
27 Other Current Liabilities	499	35,282								
<b>LONG-TERM LIABILITIES (600)</b>										
28 Bonds Payable	501									
29 Other Long-Term Liabilities	599									
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>		7,875,282	450,000	3,515,365	0	0	0	0	0	0
31 Reserved Fund Balance	703					11,606				
32 Unreserved Fund Balance	704	9,148	9,694	2,375,280	470,059	384,540	4,515,844	4,906,364		286,716
33 Investments in General Fixed Assets	705									
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE</b>		7,884,430	459,694	5,890,645	470,059	396,146	4,515,844	4,906,364	0	286,716

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Description	Acct No	(10) Educational	(20) Operations & Maintenance	(30) Bond & Interest	(40) Transportation	(50) Municipal Retirement & Social Security	(60) Site & Construction/ Capital Improvement	(70) Working Cash	(80) Rent	(90) Fire Prevention & Safety
<b>RECEIPTS/REVENUES</b>										
35 Local Sources	1000	18,184,355	2,211,560	3,878,887	960,177	731,368	203,555	201,385		203,356
36 Flow-Through Rec./Rev. from One LEA to Another	2000									
37 State Sources	3000	17,357,700	2,060,000		2,752,288	100,000	2,200,604			
38 Federal Sources	4000	2,506,875								
<b>TOTAL DIRECT RECEIPTS/REVENUES</b>		38,048,930	4,271,560	3,878,887	3,712,465	831,368	2,404,159	201,385	0	203,356
39 Rec./Rev. for "On Behalf of" Payments	c	2,654,476								
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS/REVENUES</b>		40,703,406	4,271,560	3,878,887	3,712,465	831,368	2,404,159	201,385	0	203,356
<b>DISBURSEMENTS/EXPENDITURES</b>										
42 Instruction	1000	21,372,972				237,552				
43 Support Services	2000	9,549,196	2,984,717		3,329,547	505,136	7,027,980			32,455
44 Community Services	3000	15,759				925				
45 Nonprogrammed Charges	4000	4,370,445		983		27,093				
46 Debt Services	6000	485,601	293,529	3,183,861	40,281					
<b>TOTAL DIRECT DISBURSEMENTS/EXPENDITURES</b>		35,793,973	3,278,246	3,184,824	3,369,828	770,706	7,027,980		0	32,455
48 Disb./Expend. for "On Behalf of" Payments	d	2,654,476	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS/EXPENDITURES</b>		38,448,449	3,278,246	3,184,824	3,369,828	770,706	7,027,980		0	32,455
50 Excess of Direct Receipts/Revenues Over (Under) Direct Disbursements/Expenditures	e	2,254,957	993,314	694,063	342,637	60,662	(4,623,821)	201,385	0	170,901
<b>OTHER FINANCING SOURCES &amp; USES</b>										
(Transfer from Other Funds)	7100									
51 Permanent Transfer from Working Cash Fund - Abolishment (Section 20-8)	7110									
52 Permanent Transfer from Working Cash Fund - Interest (Section 20-5)	7120									
53 Permanent Transfer (Section 17-2A)	7130									
54 Permanent Transfer of Interest (Section 10-22.44)	7140									
55 Permanent Transfer from Site and Construction Fund (Section 10-22.14)	7150									
56 Permanent Transfer of Excess Accumulated Fire Prevention Safety Proceeds & Int. Earnings (Sec. 10-22.11)	7160									
57 Permanent Transfer of Excess Accumulated Fire Prevention Safety Proceeds & Int. Earnings (Sec. 17-2.11)	7170									
58 Permanent Transfer from Working Cash Fund - Abatement (Section 20-9)	7180									
<b>SALE OF BONDS</b>	7200									
59 Principal on Bonds Sold (Amount of Original Issue)	7210									
60 Premium on Bonds Sold	7220									
61 Accrued Interest on Bonds Sold	7230									
62 Sale or Compensation for Fixed Assets (Section 2-3.12 and 17-2.11)	7300									
63 School Tech. Revolving Loan Program (STRLP)	7500									
64 Other Sources	7900									
<b>TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES</b>		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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<b>OTHER FINANCING USES</b>	8000									
(Transfer to Other Funds)	8100									
66 Permanent Transfer of Working Cash Fund - Abolishment (Section 20-8)	8110									
67 Fund - Interest (Section 20-5)	8120									
68 Permanent Transfer (Section 17-2A)	8130									
69 Permanent Transfer of Interest (Section 10-22.44)	8140									
70 Permanent Transfer from Site and Construction Fund (Section 10-22.14)	8150									
71 Permanent Transfer of Excess Accumulated Fire Prevention & Safety Proceeds & Interest Earnings (Sec. 10-22.11)	8160									
72 Permanent Transfer of Excess Accumulated Fire Prevention & Safety Proceeds & Interest Earnings (Sec. 17-2.11)	8170									
73 Permanent Transfer of Working Cash Fund - Abatement (Section 20-9)	8180									
74 Other Uses	8190									
<b>TOTAL OTHER FINANCING USES</b>		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL OTHER FIN. SOURCES &amp; (USES)</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
77 Excess of Direct Receipts/Revenue & Other Fin. Sources Over (Under) Direct Disb./Exp. & Other Fin. (Uses)		2,254,957	993,314	694,063	342,637	60,662	(4,623,821)	201,385	0	170,901
<b>FUND BALANCES - JULY 1, 2003</b>										
79 Other Changes in Fund Balances Increases/Decreases										
<b>FUND BALANCES - JUNE 30, 2004</b>		2,254,957	993,314	694,063	342,637	60,662	(4,623,821)	201,385	0	170,901

Note: The data needed to complete this document can be obtained from pages 3, 5, 7, and 8 of the School District Annual Financial Report (ISBE 50-35) or the Joint Agreement Annual Financial Report (ISBE 50-60)

a Other Accrued Assets should include accounts 130, 140, 162, 181, 192

b Accrued Liabilities should include accounts 401-405, 411-415, 420, 441, 442, 461

c GASB Statement No. 24: Accounting and Financial Reporting for Certain Grants and Other Financial Assistance. The "On Behalf of" Payments should only be reflected on this page (Lines 40 and 48)

d Line 39 minus Line 47

e Requires notification to the county clerk to abate an equal amount from taxes next extended

f Use of proceeds from the sale of school sites, buildings or other real estate is limited. See Sections 2-3.12 and 17-2.11 of the School Code

g Line 65 minus Line 75



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SHVED, TAMARA  
STILLWELL, JESSICA LYNN  
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VERSCHUEREN, AMY  
WEIDE, STACEY  
WOJTAS, IRMA K  
ZAJAC, CIRA

BEAKE, TERRY L.  
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DOMEK, LAUREN  
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HOWARD, SUSAN LYNN  
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MARRERO, JOSE A.  
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MILLER, AMISSA E.  
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VIOSKI, JUDITH

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CHARLET, MARY BETH  
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CONTRERAS, JANET  
CREWS, CARRIE LYNN  
DENBOW, SAMANTHA  
ELLIS, PAMELA  
FRANCO, AMY L.  
GARCES, OLGA  
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GOMEZ, LETICIA  
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KEARDY, KIM  
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FUQUETT, NANCY LEE  
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NELSON, RYAN  
PATRICK, SANDRA  
PETERSON, COLLEEN  
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WISWALD, NANCY

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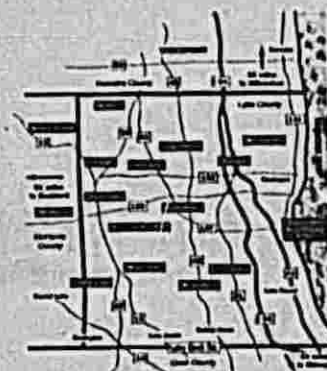


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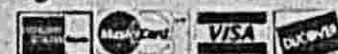
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SBF, 31, 190lbs, 5'4", sexy, outgoing and affectionate, seeks SM, 35-50, who's down-to-earth, loving, enthusiastic, good-humored and loyal, to share happiness and possible LTR. **☎512851**

#### MODEL

SWF, 26, 5'2", 110lbs, blonde/blue, sexy, petite, seeks S/DWM for LTR. If you think you're the one for me, call now! **☎915581**

#### DREAM GIRL LOOKS

Super sexy SWF, 24, 5'3", 115lbs, blonde/brown, drop-dead gorgeous, seeks S/DWM, 28-60, open-minded, fun, romantic, who likes deep conversation and more. Call me! **☎907970**

#### NEW TO CHICAGO

SWF, 35, 5'5", Cancer, N/S, brown/brown, new to the area, enjoys movies, dining out, reading, seeks man, 60-80, for friendship, possible romance. **☎452105**

#### TAKE A CHANCE

Attractive WF, 60s, looks 50s, 5'8", not slim, blonde/blue, loves country music, karaoke, casual dining, movies, casinos, travel, mountains, horses. Are you 58-71, N/S, romantic? Call me. **☎495669**

#### PRETTY AND DOWN-TO-EARTH

SWF, 43, 110lbs, 5'2", great shape, passionate, creative, professional, romantic, outgoing, great SOH. Loves skiing, dancing, gourmet cooking, God, possible. Seeking handsome, fit, mild-mannered guy for friendship/fun times. **☎506228**

#### HOPE TO FIND YOU SOMEDAY

Fun-loving SF, 50, small business owner, SF enjoys home-cooked meals, ISO a nice gentleman, 45-60, who's fun, appreciates dancing, classic/country music and romance, for friendship and possible lasting, loving relationship. **☎278795**

#### SEEKING A FUN TIME

SWF, 34, seeks man, 34-45, with muscular build, for good times, going out and having fun. Naperville. **☎279699**

#### AN AURORA ANGEL

Swedish woman, 58, N/S, 5'6", 120lbs, blonde/blue, looking for companion. I'm a great cook and friend, love to travel, enjoy classical music. ISO professional college graduate, clean-shaven, for honest relationship. **☎495393**

#### LAID-BACK FEMALE

SBHF, 29, enjoys movies, dining out, animals, the outdoors, music and more. Seeking similar SBM, 28-38, in the Aurora area, for friendship first. **☎965673**

#### SIZZLING HOT

SWF, 33, long brown/hazel, sweet, loyal, sincere, honest, Scorpio, N/S, perfect 10! seeks WM, 40+, ready for summer. **☎370767**

#### ROMANTIC LADY

SBPF, 47, 5'9", well-proportioned, likes skating, camping, theater, soft jazz. In search of a single gentleman, 48-58, nice open, with similar interests. **☎855081**

#### LIFE IS WHAT YOU MAKE IT

DWPF, 57", 115lbs, fit, honest, educated, sincere, sophisticated yet casual lady who enjoys family, romantic walks, theater, sports, travel, music and maybe you. Seeking gentleman, 50-60. **☎514074**

#### LET'S GO OUT

SBF, 20, Leo, N/S, enjoys seeks man, 19-25, for friendship, possible romance. If you want to know more, just call. **☎482766**

#### LOVES JAZZ

DWF, 45, 140lbs, blonde/blue, mother, older children, Leo, smoker, enjoys long walks, the outdoors. Seeking WM, 41-50, for friendship, possible romance. **☎438645**

#### ARE WE A MATCH?

SF, 21, likes drawing, painting, being creative, bike rides, movies, reading, dining, clubbing, dancing. Seeking SM, 21-27, for possible relationship. **☎477825**

#### WHO KNOWS WHAT CAN HAPPEN

SF, 47, smoker, looking for fun, romantic SM, 37-50, who enjoys dancing, country music, easy listening, oldies, animals, long walks, playing bingo, camping. **☎490043**

#### WORTH YOUR CALL

SWF, 21, mother, blonde/blue, medium build, enjoys rap, hip hop, family times, hanging with friends, walks, the zoo. Seeking down-to-earth man who enjoys the same. **☎118592**

#### FUN, ROMANTIC HONESTY

DWPF, 45, looking for best friend for LTR. Spontaneous, passionate, enjoys travel, fishing, good wine, great conversation, movies, family important, romance and honesty, must be kid-friendly, 40-50. **☎223101**

#### LARGE AND IN CHARGE

SWF, 40, 5'6", red/blue, three kids and a grandchild, looking for a man who is open to a ready-made family! **☎226265**

#### ISO COMMITMENT

SWF, 57, 5'7", 125lbs, shoulder-length brown/blue, N/S, with college degree, works in the insurance industry, enjoys Mexican and Italian cuisines. Seeking WM, 53-60, N/S, college-educated, responsible, romantic. **☎860640**

#### SOMEONE SPECIAL

Searching for man of my dreams, caring, loyal, attractive SWM, 50-59, wants a serious relationship. I'm a fun, honest, affectionate SWF, 51. Call me. **☎201069**

#### GOOD TIMES AHEAD

WVWF, 44, 5'7", N/S, likes to shoot pool, enjoys the excitement of baseball, seeks SBM, 45-50, who has a positive outlook and knows what he wants out of life. **☎465099**

#### YOUNG-HEARTED REDHEAD

Enthusiastic SWF, 40, 5'7", average build, N/S, homeowner in a small community, works hard, loves all kinds of music and movies, seeks SWM, 33-45, N/S, for LTR. **☎467758**

#### ENERGETIC, ATTRACTIVE...

slender WVWF, 68, Virgo, N/S, enjoys regular exercise, music, theater, hockey, day trips. Seeking active WVWM, 66-72, N/S, 5'10"-6'4", for a happier future. **☎441218**

#### ENJOY LIFE WITH ME

SAF, 52, 5'2", 130lbs, N/S, Leo, fun, great personality, big heart, likes weekends, travel, dining, and more. Seeking honest, responsible SWAM, 48-60, with same interests. **☎515078**

#### CAN YOU MAKE ME LAUGH?

SM, 50, 5'10", blonde/hazel, fit, attractive, enjoys the blues, seafood, outdoor activities, festivals, camping, hiking, flea markets, more. Seeking tall, attractive SM, with good SOH, to share friendship and happiness. **☎278926**

#### GIVE ME A CALL!

SF, 45, 5'5", 175lbs, likes reading, thriller and romance films, the outdoors, most music. Hoping to find an outgoing, fun-loving, good-hearted man to share life's little adventures. **☎279967**

#### THE WAY I DESERVE

SWF, 45, Leo, smoker, doll manager, enjoys biking, walks, dining out, enjoying life, seeks SWM, 37-48, smoker, who will treat her the way she deserves to be treated. **☎52824**

#### UNFORGETTABLE

Attractive WPF, 60 (looks 41), blonde/green, 5'5", medium build, very enthusiastic, outstanding personality, great sense of humor, variety of interests. Seeking similar S/DWM, fun-loving and sincere, for dating, possible LTR. **☎648241**

#### WHAT'S THE WORD?

Outgoing SWM, 33, 5'8", marriage-minded, smoker, loves concerts, long walks, sports. Searching for WF, 30-45, with similar or new interests. **☎260247**

#### ALL THAT I NEED

Self-employed SWM, 28, 5'4", brown/blue, slim build, smoker, very outgoing and playful, seeks same in SAF, 18-30. Friendship first. **☎500600**

#### EASY GOING

SWM, 41, 5'10", brown/brown, likes boating, camping, festivals and more. Seeking honest, slender/petite S/D for possible LTR. **☎329346**

#### KANE COUNTY AREA

DWM, 39, 5'11", 195lbs, blonde/blue, wants to have LTR, maybe more with young, attractive, slim SWHF, 18-35, blonde preferred. **☎977361**

#### LOOKING FOR YOU

Nice-looking SWM, 39, 5'9", 165lbs, fit, brown/brown enjoys long walks, the outdoors, weekend getaways, quiet times, seeking slender S/DWF, 36-46, must be sincere, caring, honest, with similar interests for LTR. **☎234967**

#### RETIRED ENGLISH PROFESSOR

Concerned Catholic, WVWM, seeks, slim, sensitive, WVWF 68-78, who may enjoy the beauty of poetry and the following words: "U are love and laughter, U are sunshine and tears, U are joy and sorrow, U are beautiful in the first light of morning." **☎428541**

#### AURORADORA

SWM, 25, smoker, blonde/hazel, works in construction, coaches youth sports, looking for SWF, 20-30, who has a kind and gentle heart. **☎510750**

#### CREATIVE AND HONEST

SWM, 50, enjoys the arts, music, travel, reading. Seeking creative, outgoing woman for good times, possible LTR. Will answer all. **☎539991**

#### LAID-BACK AND FUN

SBM, 43, 6'2", 235lbs, N/S, truck driver, father of 1, seeks single woman, 33-40, N/S, to share the weekends with. **☎510288**

#### IS IT YOU?

SWM, 38, 5'11", brown/blue, likes oldies, country and '80s music, walking the dog, outdoor activities, concerts, motorcycles, more. Seeking a sweet woman to share these. **☎935582**

#### INDEPENDENT...

very outgoing SBM, 59", 192lbs, brown eyes, smoker, seeks a beautiful, sexy woman, race and age are open. **☎505539**

#### THE MISSING INGREDIENT?

SM, 36, chef, seeking SWHF, 22-46, who is a romantic-at-heart, caring, sincere, has a great sense of humor. **☎447017**

#### SHARE A LAUGH

Why be lonely? Very healthy, young-looking SWCM, 39, 5'9", 165lbs, brown/green-blue, N/S, ISO the right woman, 25-41, N/S, to make life complete. **☎464321**

#### NOT AFRAID TO LAUGH

SWM, 26, 5'7", 170lbs, brown/green-blue, N/S, with daughter (5), enjoys dining out movies. Seeking WF, 23-30, N/S, for LTR. **☎505405**

#### GRAND CANYON

SM, 33, 5'8", 135lbs, brown/blue, contractor, enjoys his work, cherishes time with his children, heart as big as Grand Canyon, is spontaneous, down-to-earth, artistic, seeking compatible SF, 32-40. **☎492672**

#### TOY COLLECTOR

SWM, 39, Gemini, N/S, enjoys music, camping, hiking, collecting, sports, old movies. Seeking SF, 18-42, for possible relationship. **☎434467**

#### MAYBE IT'S U?

SM, 29, looking for honest, commitment-minded SF who enjoys hiking, swimming, cycling, movies etc. to share lasting friendship, good times and possible LTR. **☎628842**

#### INDEPENDENT AND CONFIDENT

SWM, 27, 5'10", 190lbs, brown/brown, athletic build, Virgo, N/S, outgoing, spontaneous, enjoys clubs, sports, the outdoors, pet owner. Seeking similar SF, 21-32, N/S, for LTR. **☎441098**

#### LOOKING FORWARD

SM, 25, brown/brown, works in sales, very goal and family-oriented, enjoys quiet evenings, time with friends, seeking outgoing SF, 20-28, who enjoys entertaining as well as quiet times. **☎447030**

#### THE BEST POLICY

SWM, 36, Leo, smoker, 6'1", 285lbs, truck driver, sociable, enjoys going out, good times, seeks man, 20-45, who's honest. **☎450657**

#### YOUR NEW DANCE PARTNER

SWM, 37, 5'9", medium build, smoker, likes the spiciness of Italian food, seeks outgoing SWF, 30-40, smoker, who is willing to try new things, for LTR. **☎464092**

#### OSWEGO PROFESSIONAL

Widowed WPM, 70, 6'1", 195lbs, financially independent, smoker, enjoys life's simple pleasures. Seeking WF, 50-65, slender, well-educated, for companionship, possible LTR. **☎504112**

#### MUST BE PETITE

SWM, 48, 5'10", slim build, smoker, disabled veteran, loves to vacation in Mexico, seeks petite SHF, 25-40, smoker, with long legs, for LTR. **☎500952**

#### WANT TO STAR GAZE?

SWM, 27, 6'1", 195lbs, brown/green, N/S, no kids, homeowner, Aurora area. Looking for my soulmate, 18-34. **☎200034**

#### WHY NOT TRY?

Employed SM, 38, 5'9", 170lbs, brown/blue, clean-cut, enjoys action films, boating, The Florida Keys. Seeking active, fun, spontaneous lady who enjoys some of the same. **☎989323**

#### LET'S ENJOY LIFE

Hard-working, intelligent, humorous SWM, 25, 5'7", 135lbs, brown/brown, seeks open-minded, trustworthy, outgoing, spontaneous SWF, 21-28, with various interests. If you enjoy all that life has to offer, please call. **☎253931**

#### A GOOD SPORT, I SEEK

SWM, 29, 5'7", light brown/blue, athletic, N/S, plays drums, enjoys playing and watching sports. Seeking WF, 22-32, N/S. **☎254497**

#### SLEEPLESS IN AURORA

SBM, 31, 5'9", 160lbs, N/S, works in his family business, enjoys weightlifting and tv. Seeking open-minded, attractive woman, 21-35, N/S, long hair at+. **☎422392**

#### TWO MINDS INSTEAD OF ONE

DWM, 33, one child, looking for a WAF, 33-39, to be that special someone in my life. Must be honest and like children. **☎428131**

#### CHECK ME OUT

SWM, 50, 5'10", 190lbs, N/S, N/D, great man, good heart, in great shape, lots of energy. Seeking compatible lady, 25-55, same interests and qualities. All calls returned. **☎994903**

#### THE RIGHT PERSON

WPM, mid-30s, 180lbs, 5'10", looking for LTR with an honest WHF, 27-37, with strong set of morals and close family times. Enjoys working out, movies, dining out, dancing, and more. **☎441481**

#### ON IN A MILLION

SWM, 37, 5'6", 170lbs, black/hazel, athletically built, this guy is honest, compassionate, caring and has a great sense of humor, with passion for the outdoors. Seeking friendship first. **☎276894**

#### TELL ME ABOUT YOURSELF

Mixed race SM, 29, Scorpio, N/S, enjoys family, playing chess, reading, clubs, the outdoors. Seeking SF, 18-35, N/S, for possible relationship. **☎433355**

#### LET'S GET TO KNOW...

each other. WM, 41, self-employed, would like to meet a woman who likes to go out and have a good time. Possibly more in the future. **☎485713**

#### HOW ABOUT THIS ONE

SWM, 24, 5'10", 150lbs, black/brown, enjoys car shows, time w/friends, listening to rap/hip hop. ISO caring, sensitive woman to get out and enjoy life with, maybe more with time. **☎483973**

#### COLLEGE PROFESSOR

SWM, 55, empathetic listener, with movie star looks, is active mentally and physically, naturally engaging, modest, reasonably obnoxious. Seeking SF, 22-62, N/S, funny and fun, shapely, romantic and sincere. **☎461413**

#### ALL NEW BEGINNINGS

DWM, 46, 5'10", 210lbs, Italian and German, Aries, N/S, father, enjoys bowling, miniature golf, travel. Seeking S/DWF, 30-50, 5'5"-5'9", for LTR. **☎433868**

#### ROMANCE IS WAITING 4 U

DWM, 48, 6'2", 205lbs, blonde/blue, baking, seeks single/divorced S/DWF, 38-52, for LTR. Likes slow dancing, movies, dining out, cuddling, the outdoors, hand holding. Seeking best friend and soulmate. **☎401639**

#### VERY ROMANTIC

Caring, sincere SWM, 47, 6'6", dark/blue, Cancer, N/S, enjoys music, travel, socializing. Seeking SWF, 35-55, N/S, kids ok. **☎435553**

#### LET'S GET ACQUAINTED

SBM, 23, 5'10", stable, responsible, Cancer, N/S, seeks down-to-earth, outgoing, attractive SF, 19-40, for possible relationship. **☎439289**

#### A GOOD GUY

SWM, 20, 6'4", brown/brown, athletic build, Scorpio, N/S, enjoys movies, video games, wrestling, sports. Seeks SWF, 18-22, N/S, for friendship, possible romance. **☎440001**

#### SEARCHING

SWM, 64, 5'11", 170lbs, N/S, varied interests, seeks SWF, 40-60, for friendship, companionship, maybe more. Aurora area. **☎999868**

#### NO GAMES

SM, 53, new to area, hard-working, seeks SF not into games, to share theater, movies, dining, walks, talks, quality moments, someone interested in a lasting relationship. Sound like you? **☎955189**

#### I WANNA HOLD YOUR HAND

DWM, 48, 6'2", 230lbs, blonde/blue, baking, wants to cuddle with a woman, SWHAF, 42-52, who loves movies, dining, long walks, for committed, LTR. **☎114223**

#### COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

Family-oriented, loving, considerate, loyal SWM, 39, father, very athletic, well-built, enjoys fitness, keeping active, skiing. Seeking fun-loving, child friendly, energetic lady for sharing friendship, fun, dreams, ideas and happiness. **☎119080**

#### GENTLE TOUCH

SWM, 43, 6'3", fit, caring, enjoys life, loves outdoor activities, walks, communicating. Seeking honest, like-minded SF, 25-40. Somonauk area. **☎759661**

#### GENTLEMAN SEES LADY

SWM, 44, Gemini, N/S, enjoys outdoor activities, movies, dining out, movies, dancing. Seeking attractive SF, 30-40, N/S, who's responsible and honest for possible romantic LTR. **☎803400**

#### DREAM ANGEL, LET'S LET...

the music play, laugh, have fun and share a good life together. Tall, educated, friendly SPBM, 49, 240lbs, seeks cheerful, warm, attractive WF of substance, 35-50, to be my soulmate. **☎808705**

#### WANTED: NEW BEST FRIEND

DWM, 49, 5'9", 185lbs, brown/blue, new to area, hard-working homeowner, looking for a lady, 35-50, to get out and have some fun with. **☎292568**

#### A LOVE, A BUDDY AND A...

partner. Handsome SWPM, 49, 6'2", 195lbs, brown/blue, trim mustache, in good shape, seeks a woman, 35-52, to be my buddy, my love and my partner, someone I can hold tenderly. **☎277183**

#### MORE THAN WORDS

SBM, 49, 6'1", N/S, believes music is a path to the soul, likes seafood, seeks down-to-earth, straightforward, feminine SWF, 45-60, N/S, friendship first, possible relationship. **☎443145**

#### LET'S TALK SOMETIME

Italian SWM, 52, father, metal worker, likes cooking, shows, walks, flea markets, wine and dining, romantic times. Seeking affectionate, pretty, loyal lady to share the good things in life. **☎448267**

#### FUN GUY SEEKS...

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### California Wild Rice Bangkok

#### Ingredients:

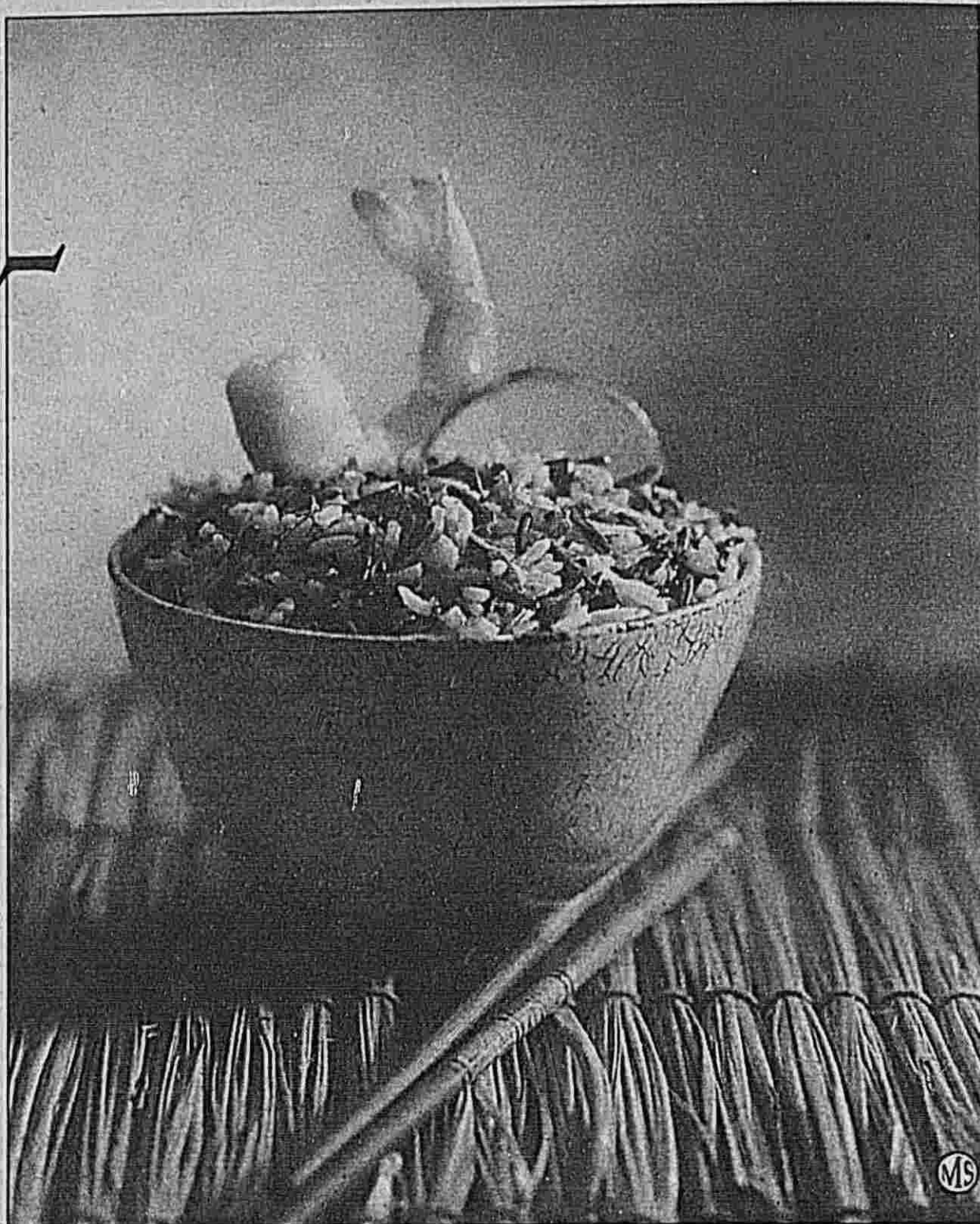
- 3 1/2 cups reduced-sodium chicken broth
- 3/4 cup wild rice
- 3/4 cup jasmine or other long-grain white rice
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 medium onion, chopped
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 2 tablespoons minced fresh ginger
- 2 tablespoons low-sodium soy sauce
- 2 tablespoons fresh lime juice
- 1 tablespoon firmly packed brown sugar
- 1/2 cup finely slivered or chopped fresh basil leaves
- 1/2 cup finely slivered or chopped fresh mint leaves
- Fresh basil and mint sprigs (optional)
- Lime wedges (optional)
- Cooked shrimp for garnish (optional)

#### Preparation:

In a 4- to 5-quart saucepan, bring broth to a boil over high heat. Add wild rice; reduce heat to low and cover tightly. Simmer until grains begin to open and feel tender to bite, about 45 minutes. Stir in the white rice. Cover tightly, and simmer until tender to the bite and liquid is absorbed, 20 to 25 more minutes.

While the rice cooks, heat olive oil in a 10- to 12-inch skillet over medium-high heat. Reduce heat to medium, and add onion and garlic. Stir until onion is lightly browned, about five minutes. Add ginger, and stir until ginger is fragrant but not browned, about two minutes.

Remove from heat. In a small bowl, mix together soy sauce, lime juice and sugar



Just like Bangkok, this recipe is destined to become a treasure.

until smooth. When rice is done, remove from heat and gently stir in onion-ginger mixture, soy sauce mixture, basil and mint.

Transfer to a serving bowl; garnish with basil and mint sprigs and serve with lime wedges to squeeze over individual portions (optional).

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# Gobble up

## Turkey hints

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However, if you've found that preparing turkey isn't one of your specialties, or that guests seem less than anxious to "gobble" up your turkey feasts, you may benefit from some of these helpful tips, courtesy of WhatsCookingAmerica.net

- Want a truly fresh turkey? Go for a frozen bird, which is frozen immediately after it's prepared. Fresh turkeys can sit in your grocery store for days.
- Allow adequate defrosting time. For example, a 20-pound turkey requires four full days of defrosting in the refrigerator (the safest method of defrosting to avoid bacterial growth). Remove the giblets and neck as soon as they can be pried off.
- Use a shallow roasting pan for cooking. A deep roasting pan will only steam it.
- Do not stuff your turkey in advance, as bacterial growth can spoil uncooked turkey. Just before roasting, stuff the body and the neck of the turkey. Do not pack in the stuffing, as it will expand during cooking. If packed in too tightly, the stuffing will be very dense instead of light. Sew the abdomen closed and sew the legs together, putting them close to the body so that the stuffing cooks evenly.
- Roast your turkey breast-side down on a V-shaped rack until its last hour or so in the oven. Then turn it to brown the breast. The result is a moister white meat.
- Don't rely on the "plastic button" to pop and inform you your turkey is done—you could overcook it. Choose a reliable meat thermometer instead. A turkey is ready when the thermometer reads 145°F.
- Baste your turkey frequently to ensure moister meat.
- Let the turkey rest for 20 to 30 minutes after it has cooked. Cover it with foil after it has been removed from the oven to let the juices redistribute through the bird, making for a juicier dish.
- A cooking bag makes cooking your turkey easy. The cooking juices do not evaporate, so the bird is constantly basted. Also, cleanup is much easier because you won't have burnt drippings on the bottom of your pan.



Follow a few simple cooking tips for turkey success.

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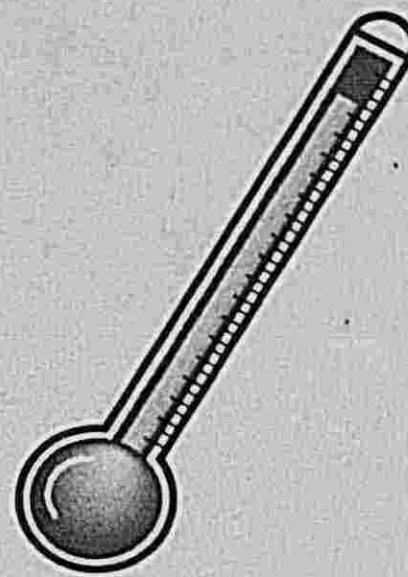
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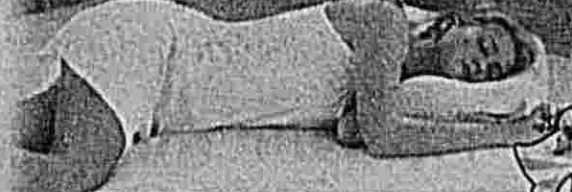
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# Lasanga

## for Thanksgiving?

America has always been a melting pot, and for many it's only natural to want to make their own cultural traditions part of a uniquely American holiday like Thanksgiving.

And according to experts, incorporating one's own traditions into those of an adopted country is just the way it should be.

"Where once it was thought that complete assimilation to American culture was the best way to go, a number of studies have shown just the opposite. It appears that multiculturalism — or honoring other's cultural background — as well as adoption of American ways, results in the most healthy and positive adjustment," says Patrice A. Alvarado, Ph.D., an associate professor and licensed clinical psychologist at Argosy University/Washington DC.

For Chef Odette Smith Ransome of The Art Institute of Pittsburgh, Thanksgiving has always been about culinary inclusion. "We will always have the traditional turkey but now it sits next to lasagna or a Pad Thai," explains Chef Ransome.

"My students are always telling me stories about the different sort of dishes their families serve for Thanksgiving or other holidays. Even people who don't know what Thanksgiving or our other holidays mean tend to become

interested in the way that we celebrate with food," she says.

In Minnesota, where residents of Scandinavian descent populate the Twin Cities area, Chef Desiree Dorwart, a chef culinary instructor at The Art Institutes International Minnesota, celebrates her Scandinavian heritage at holidays like Thanksgiving or Christmas by incorporating culinary favorites passed down in her family through generations.

Dorwart explains "My grandma always made Fruit Soup a few days before the holidays because the marinating time is important to its texture and flavor. The finished product is sweet and unexpected. She made it with prunes and raisins, but I sometimes substitute dried cherries and raisins, and play with the recipe until it suits me."

"The dishes I grew up with remind me of my grandparent's home in Moorhead, Minn., which was a hub for the entire family, a spotless reminder of our Scandinavian roots," she says. "It's wonderful to be able to share these holiday recipes now with friends and students."

Recipes courtesy of Chef Desiree Dorwart, The Art Institutes International Minnesota

### Fruit Soup

- 2 quarts water
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 cup of prunes
- 1/2 cup of raisins
- 1 cup of minute tapioca
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- Juice of one orange
- Juice of one lemon
- 3 apples cut fine
- 1 stick of cinnamon

Add ingredients and boil slowly together for one hour. Serve warm or cold.

### Fattigmand

Similar to a doughnut or fried bread

- 5 egg yolks
- 1 whole egg
- 6 tablespoons sugar
- 6 tablespoons whipping cream
- 1 3/4 cups flour
- 1 teaspoon vanilla

Beat eggs yolks and egg until light, add sugar and beat. Whip cream, add to egg and sugar.

Add flavoring and flour. Stir until blended. Roll out thin, cut in diamond shapes, slit and fry in hot lard until light and brown.

### Lefse

A Norwegian tortilla

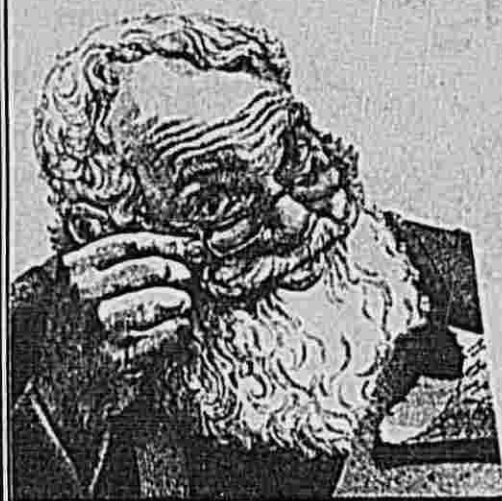
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1/2 cup cream
- 1/2 cup lard
- 3 quarts mashed potatoes
- 1 teaspoon salt
- Flour

Bring the milk, cream and lard to a boil. Pour over the mashed potatoes and salt. Cool thoroughly. Add flour, a little at a time until dough can be handled easily. Let dough rest for 30 minutes (or more) in a cool place. Now form about 1/3 cup of dough into a ball. Place on floured pastry cloth and roll out as thin as possible. Place on pancake or lefse griddle. Leave it just a few seconds and then turn over. Bake this side very light brown. Turn once more and finish cooking. Too much turning dries and toughens the lefse.

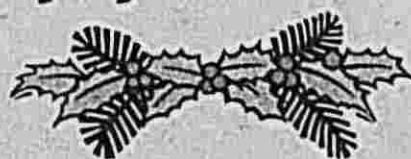
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Norwegian lefse can be filled with a variety of fillings, or eaten with melted butter and sugar or jam.



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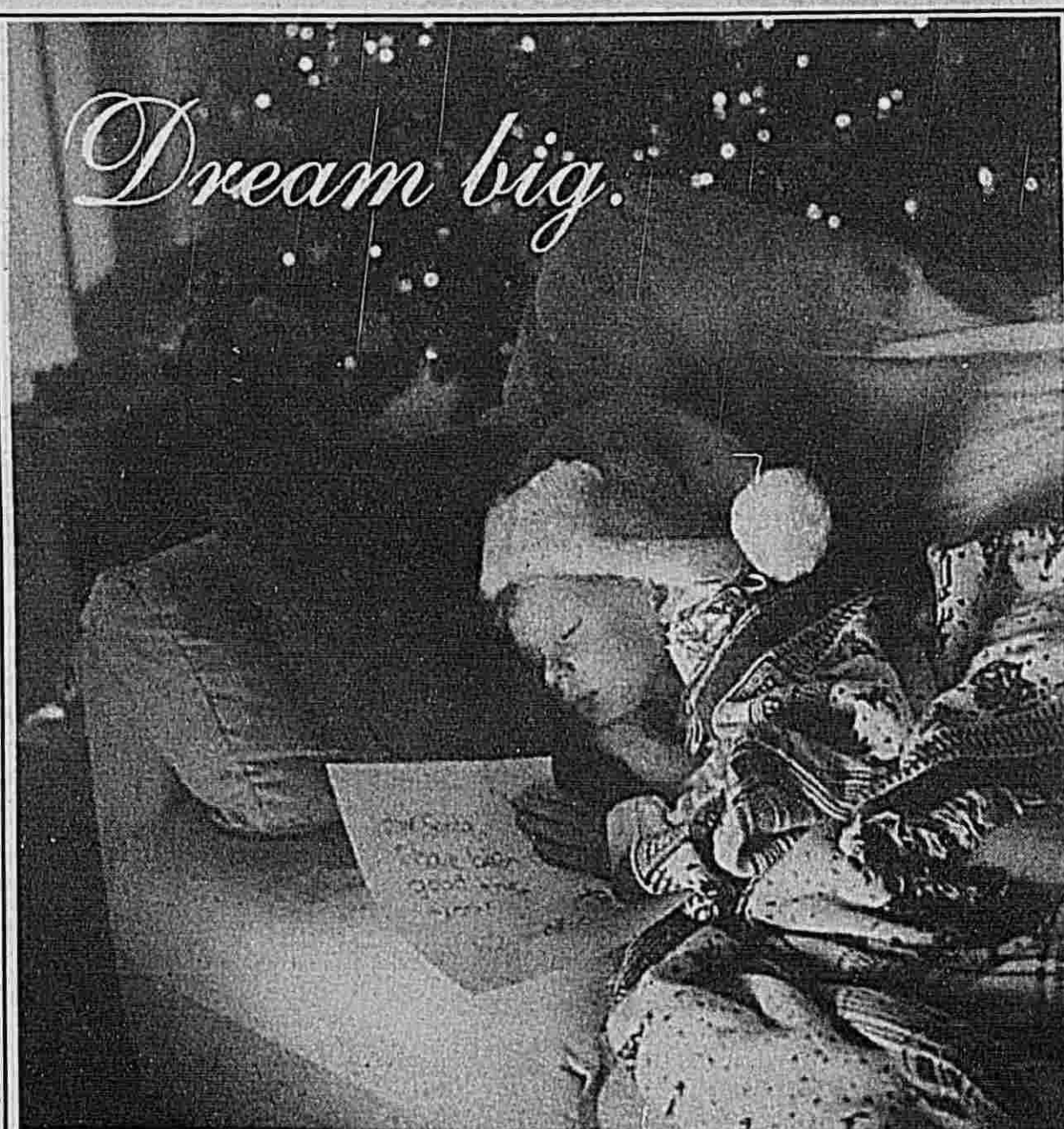
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From top: Sweet Cherry Bars, Sweet Cherry Cut-Out Cookies (no recipe), Mini Sweet Cherry Tarts and Chocolate Sweet Cherry Surprise Cake

## Sweet Cherry Bars

### Crust

- 1/2 cup canola oil
- 1/2 cup confectioner's sugar
- 2 egg yolks
- 1 1/4 cups all-purpose flour

### Filling

- 2 egg whites
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1/2 tablespoon all-purpose flour
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup coconut
- 1 cup maraschino cherries, drained, coarsely chopped
- 1/4 cup chopped pecans

### Icing

- 2 cups confectioner's sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon almond extract
- 1/4 cup maraschino cherry juice

Preheat oven to 350°F.

**Crust:** Combine all ingredients; mix well. Pat firmly into 8-inch square cake pan. Bake 12 minutes or until golden.

**Filling:** Beat egg whites and brown sugar. Combine flour, baking powder and salt. Stir into egg mixture; mix well. Stir in coconut, cherries and pecans. Spread over crust. Bake 20 to 25 minutes or until lightly browned.

**Icing:** Beat all ingredients together until creamy.

Drop spoonfuls of icing onto warmed bars; spread gently. Cool completely before cutting into bars.

Makes 16 bars

## Mini Sweet Cherry Tarts

### Crust

- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup canola oil
- 1/4 cup cold milk

### Cream cheese layer

- 4 ounces cream cheese, softened
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1 egg

### Cherry topping

- 1 cup canned sweet cherries, pitted/drain (reserve juice)
- 1/2 cup reserved cherry juice
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon almond extract
- 1 1/2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1 1/2 tablespoons cold water

Preheat oven to 350°F.

**Crust:** Mix flour, salt and sugar. Combine liquids; do not stir. Add flour mixture to wet ingredients; stir with fork until flour is dampened. Form dough into balls; cut in half. Roll each half between wax paper; cut pastry to tart shell size. Put in mini muffin pan.

**Cream cheese layer:** Cream together all ingredients.

**Cherry topping:** Combine cherries, cherry juice, sugar and extract in heavy saucepan; bring to boil on medium-low heat. Combine cornstarch and water; add to cherry mixture, constantly stirring until boiling. Take off heat; set aside.

Spread 1 teaspoon cream cheese mixture on bottom of each shell. Fill 3/4 full with cherry topping. Bake 15 to 20 minutes until pastry is golden.

Makes 24 mini tarts

## Chocolate Sweet Cherry Surprise Cake

### Chocolate cake

- 5 squares (1 ounce each) semi-sweet chocolate
- 1/2 cup canola oil
- 4 large eggs
- 4 large egg yolks
- 1/3 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup flour, sifted

### Sweet cherry filling

- 1 cup frozen sweet cherries
- 1/2 cup water
- 3 tablespoons sugar
- 2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 2 tablespoons cold water
- A few drops of red food coloring (optional)

### Garnish

- Confectioner's sugar,
- mint sprigs, cherry juice

Preheat oven to 350°F.

**Chocolate cake:** Cut squares of chocolate into small pieces and place in double boiler with canola oil.

Melt chocolate; cool. Beat eggs and egg yolks with sugar until fluffy. Add cooled chocolate mixture to egg mixture. Add flour; beat until fluffy and glossy, approximately 5 minutes.

**Sweet cherry filling:** Combine sweet cherries, 1/2 cup water, sugar and red food coloring in heavy saucepan; bring to boil on medium-low heat. Combine cornstarch and cold water. Add to sweet cherry mixture, constantly stirring until boiling. Remove from heat; set aside until completely cooled.

Oil and flour 3-inch muffin tin. Fill each muffin tin 1/2 full with cake mixture; add 1 tablespoon cherry filling to each, then add additional cake mixture to fill. Bake 15 to 20 minutes until center is wobbly and sides are cooked. Run a knife around edge of cakes to loosen; tip out onto plates. Garnish with sweet cherry juice, confectioner's sugar and mint sprigs. Makes 12 individual 3-inch cakes.

**Note:** Freezes well. Remove uncooked filled muffin tin from freezer and bake at 350°F 30 to 35 minutes.



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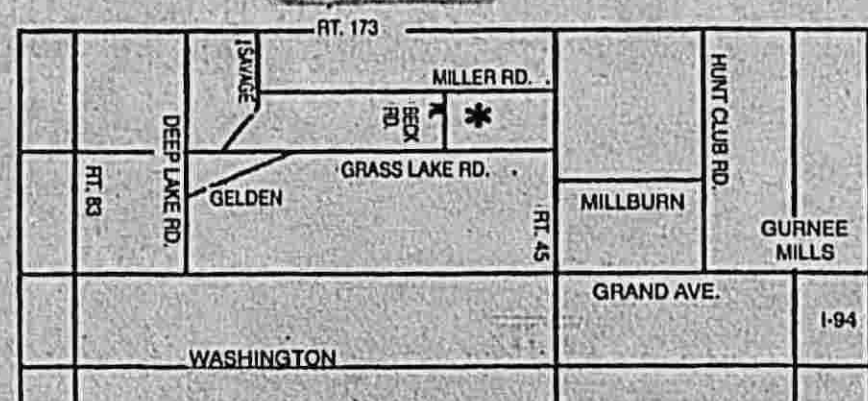
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# deep-fried delights

## this holiday season

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Many want to enliven their guests' taste buds and put a twist on traditional holiday fare by serving deep-fried turkey, but don't know how to get started. You can prepare it in traditional propane-fueled turkey cookers. Or try a new electric turkey fryer, which offers consumers additional features and improved safety. The Masterbuilt electric fryers, the first in the industry, are CSA approved under UL Standard No. 1083 for use literally everywhere. Unlike traditional propane fryers, the new Masterbuilt electric models let you cook on a screened-in porch or in a garage as well as in

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## Jazz up your holiday menu

While every family has certain dishes that are a "required" part of any holiday get-together, this time of year can also be a great opportunity to try new recipes.

Chances are you won't want to mess with the main course, but why not try some new side dishes? Just stick to seasonal ingredients and flavors that you know your family will enjoy, and you may have a new family tradition in the making.

And even though the holidays are synonymous with homemade food, don't be afraid to use some prepared ingredients to make your holiday cooking a little easier. For example, while you're focusing on the turkey and trimmings, why not turn to packaged veggie dips to give guests something to nibble on? Or use a gourmet bottled dressing and pre-washed greens in your salad — no one needs to know but you.

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Here's a favorite salad recipe from the Litehouse Foods files. The addition of cranberries gives it a festive look for your holiday table.

### Mixed Greens Salad with Pear and Candied Pecans

- 1/4 cup pecan halves
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1 package (10 ounces) torn mixed salad greens
- 1 pear, cored and thinly sliced (1 apple, cored and thinly sliced, may be used in place of the pear)
- 1/4 cup sweetened dried cranberries
- 1 cup (4 ounces) blue cheese, crumbled
- 1/2 cup cranberry vinaigrette dressing

**1.** Cook pecans with sugar in small skillet over medium-high heat 3 minutes or until sugar melts, coats pecans and browns slightly, stirring constantly. Remove from pan, let cool.

**2.** Top salad greens with pear slices, pecans, dried cranberries and cheese. Drizzle with dressing just before serving.



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# Pumpkin

## Brighten a holiday get-together with seasonal flavor

The weather outside may be frightful, but the unmistakable tastes of the season are oh, so delightful. With the holidays just around the corner, entertaining friends and family with a seasonal menu often requires time and careful planning.

As the weeks pass and the rush of the season takes over, you may find yourself looking for ways to relax and unwind. Why not take a break and enjoy the company of friends or family over a cup of coffee and dessert? It's now easier to entertain with three new flavors from Nestle Coffee-Mate available for a limited time. Relish the spirit of the holiday season with gingerbread, eggnog flavor and peppermint mocha. These flavors will enhance your dessert menu with a cheerful coffee blend and delicious recipes like the Gingerbread Pumpkin Cheesecake with Cookie Crust that follows.

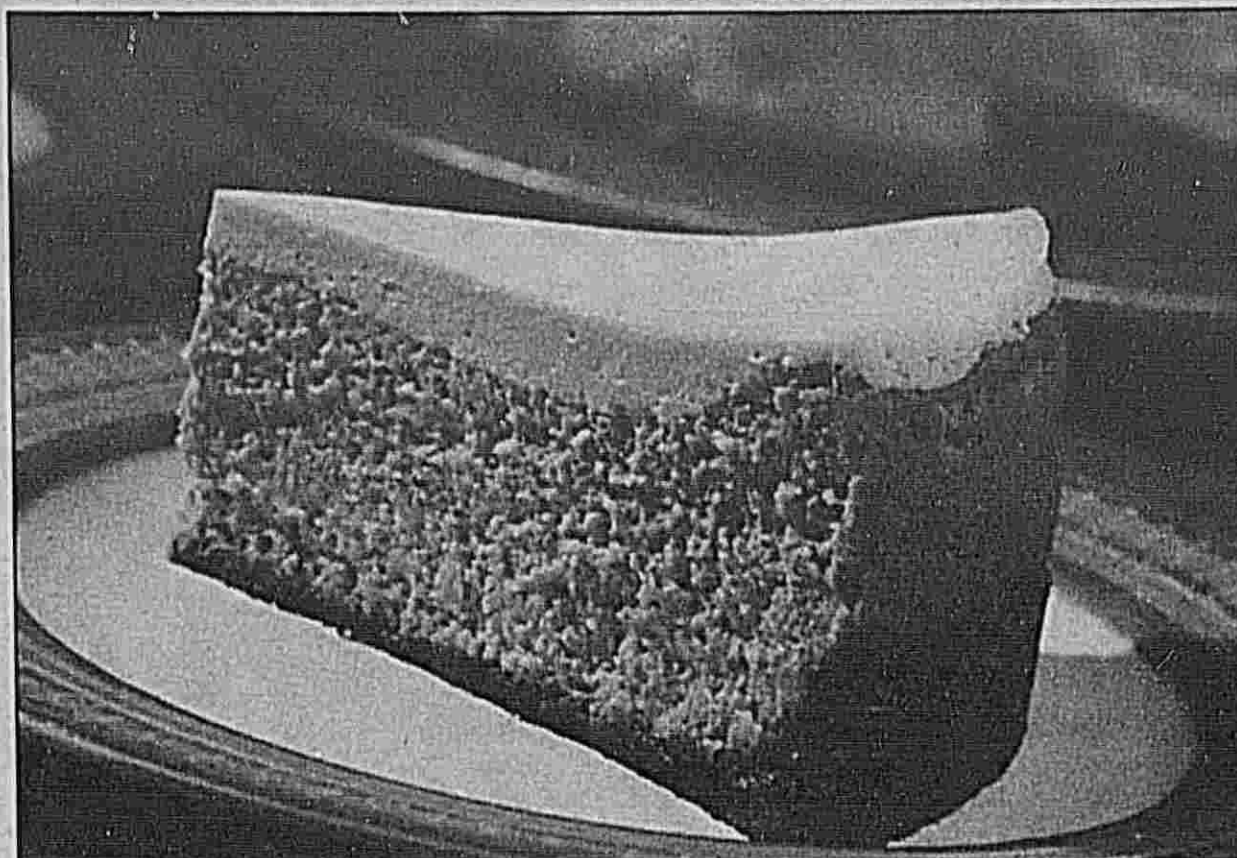
### Gingerbread Pumpkin Cheesecake with Cookie Crust

#### Crust:

- 1 1/2 cups gingersnap cookie crumbs (about 28 two-inch cookies)
- 1/4 cup granulated sugar
- 3 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted

#### Cheesecake:

- 3 packages (8 ounces each) cream cheese, softened
- 3/4 cup granulated sugar
- 1/4 cup packed light brown sugar
- 1 can (15 ounces) canned pumpkin
- 2/3 cup Gingerbread Flavor Nestle Coffee-Mate Liquid Coffee Creamer
- 2 large eggs
- 2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1/4 teaspoon ground cloves



Enhance a holiday celebration with a slice of this delicious "Gingerbread Pumpkin Cheesecake with Cookie Crust."

#### Topping:

- 1 container (16 ounces) sour cream, at room temperature
- 1/4 cup granulated sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Preheat oven to 350°F.

Lightly grease 9-inch springform pan.

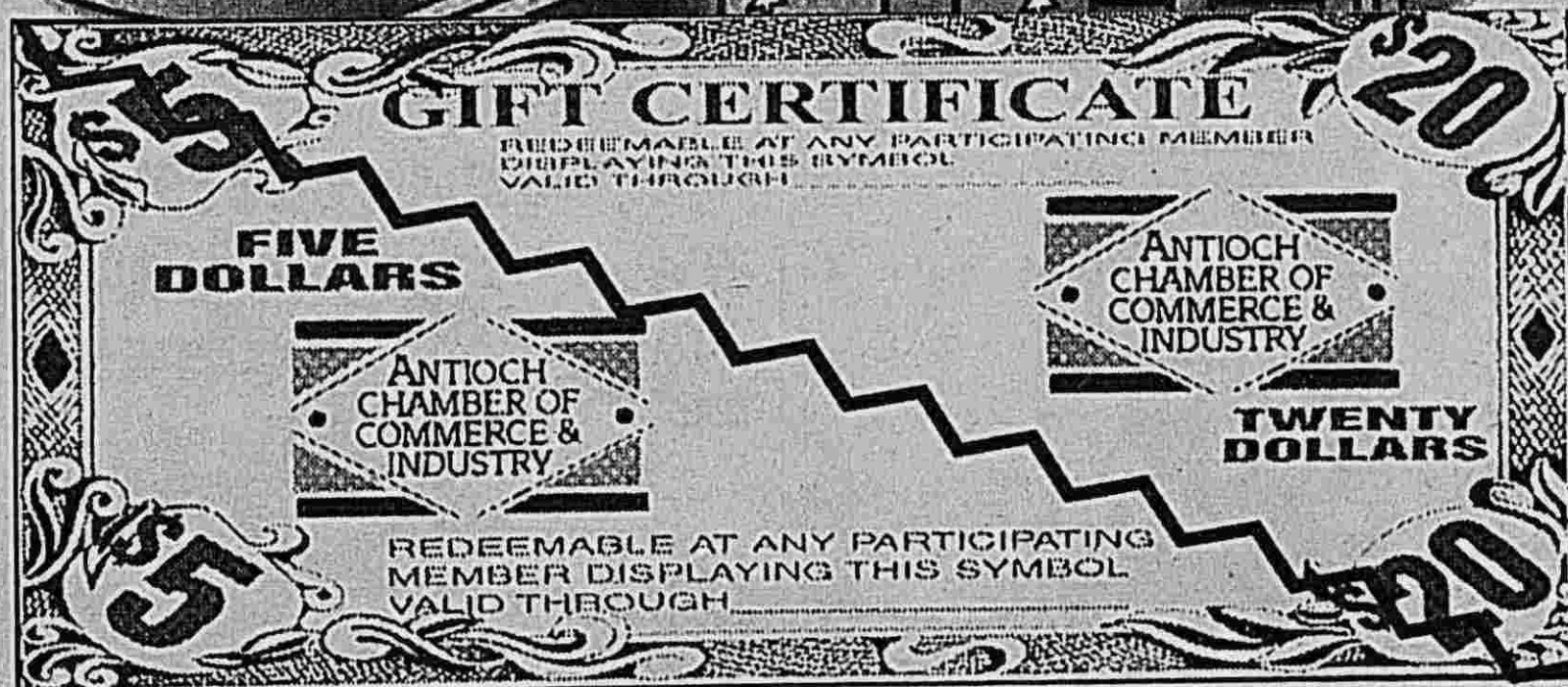
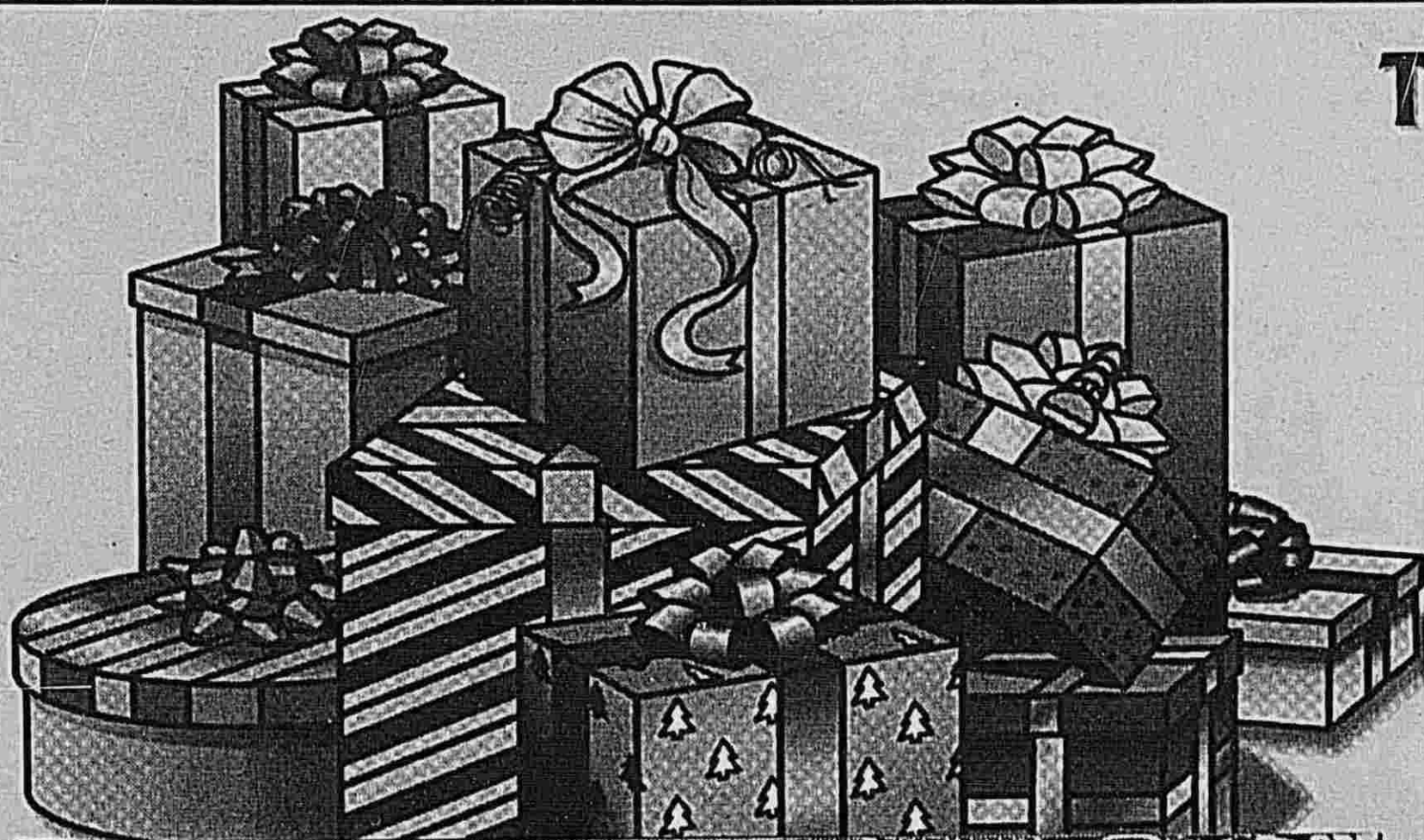
**For crust:** Combine cookie crumbs, granulated sugar and butter in medium bowl. Press onto bottom and 1-inch up side of prepared pan. Freeze for 5 minutes.

**For cheesecake:** Beat cream cheese, granulated sugar and brown sugar in large mixer bowl until creamy. Beat in pumpkin, Nestle Coffee-Mate and eggs. Add cornstarch and cloves; beat well. Pour into crust. Bake for 65 to 75 minutes or until edge is set but center still moves slightly.

**For topping:** Combine sour cream, granulated sugar and vanilla extract in small bowl; mix well. Spread sour cream mixture over surface of warm cheesecake. Bake for an additional five minutes. Run knife around edge of cheesecake. Cool completely. Refrigerate for several hours or overnight. Remove side of springform pan.

Serves 16

Visit [Meals.com](http://Meals.com) for more seasonal flavor recipes to share with friends and family including Peppermint Mocha Cheesecake, Gingerbread Latte, Eggnog Cappuccino, Gingerbread Chai Latte and Peppermint Mocha Hot Chocolate. For more information about Nestle Coffee-Mate products, visit [Coffee-mate.com](http://Coffee-mate.com).



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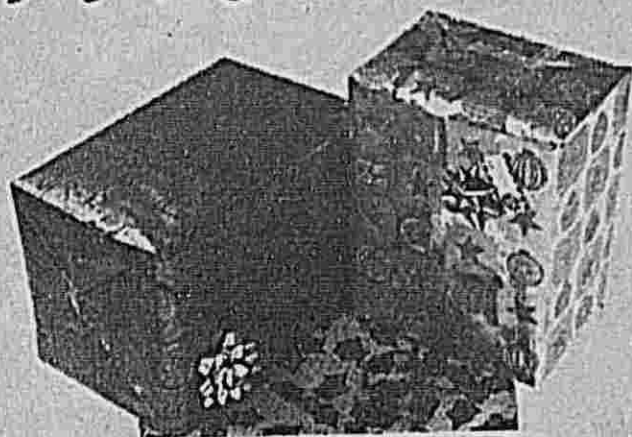
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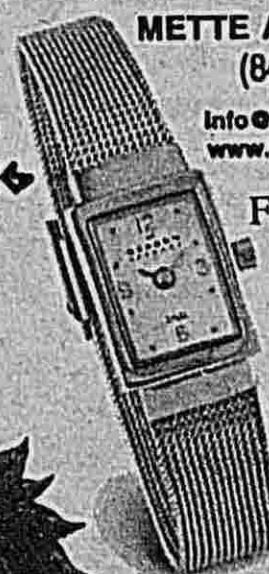
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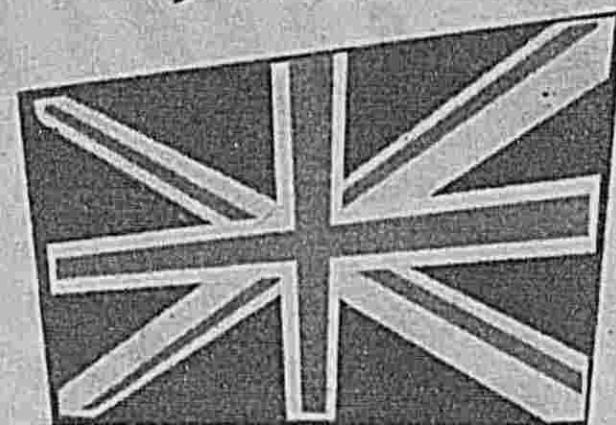
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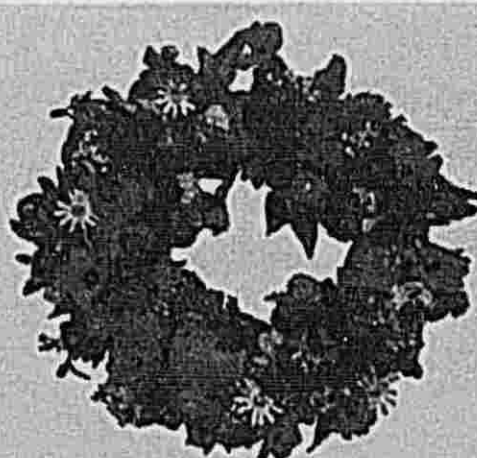
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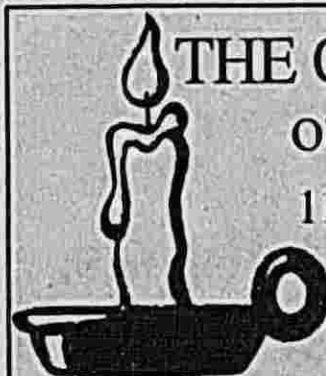


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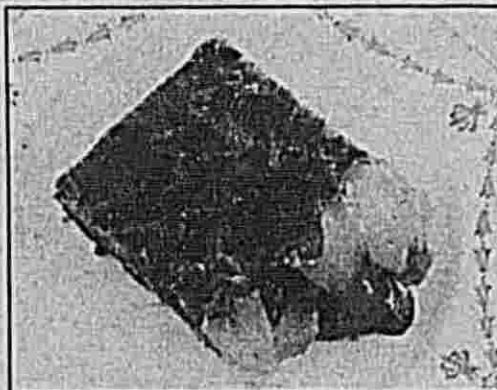
Indeed, the fruitcake's durability has been the brunt of many a joke. But actually, it's a cake that's loaded with more than just fruit — it boasts a lot of history, too.

The oldest reference regarding fruitcakes dates back to Roman times. Ancient crusaders and hunters ate fruitcake made with honey, spices, preserved fruits, pomegranate seeds, pine nuts and raisins. Fruitcake would last during their long times away from home and be a good source of energy, too. Today, hikers, hunters and skiers follow the same practice. In the 1700s, Europeans baked a ceremonial fruitcake at the end of the nut harvest. It was saved and eaten at the next year's harvest, hoping it would spur another successful harvest. In the 1800s, fruitcake was served with tea. Rumor has it that Queen Victoria waited a year to eat a fruitcake she received for her birthday as a show of restraint and moderation.

Indeed, fruitcakes make great gifts because they last so long and can be mailed. Most fruitcakes will last 8 to 12 months tightly wrapped in plastic wrap and stored in an airtight container, or they can be frozen. Give a gift from the heart by making those on your gift list a regular or light fruitcake, courtesy of "Making Beautiful Christmas Cakes" (Merehurst). They'll see why fruitcakes have carved themselves a niche in culinary holiday tradition.



Give the gift of history and tradition with a regular (above) or light (below) fruitcake.



## Fruitcake

- 3 cups sultanas (golden raisins)
- 2 1/2 cups raisins, chopped
- 1 1/2 cups currants
- 2 cups chopped glace cherries
- 1 cup brandy or rum
- 1 cup butter
- 1 cup soft, dark brown sugar
- 2 tablespoons apricot jam (jelly)
- 2 tablespoons treacle or molasses
- 1 tablespoon grated lemon or orange rind
- 4 eggs
- 2 3/4 cups plain (all-purpose) flour
- 1 teaspoon ginger
- 1 teaspoon mixed spice
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon

1. Put the fruit in a bowl with the brandy and soak overnight. Preheat the oven to 300°F. Line a 9-inch round cake pan with melted butter or a mild-flavored vegetable oil. To wrap the pan, cut a double layer of greaseproof parchment paper into a strip long enough to fit around the outside of the pan and tall enough to come about 2 inches above the edge of the pan. Fold down a cuff about 3/4 inch deep along the length of the strip along the folded edges. Make diagonal cuts up to the fold line on each strip, about 1/2 inch apart. Fit the strip around the inside of the pan, with the cuts on the base, pressing the cuts out at right angles so they sit flat around the base. Place the pan on a doubled piece of parchment paper, and trace the edge. Cut the shape and place on the base of the pan, over the cuts.

2. Beat the butter and sugar. Beat in the jam (jelly), treacle and rind. Add the eggs, beating after each addition. Stir in the fruit and the sifted flour and spices.

3. Spoon the mixture into the pan, ensuring it is pushed well into the corners and edges. Smooth the surface with fingers dipped in water. Tap the pan to remove any air bubbles. Adjust oven shelves accordingly. Cakes are usually cooked on the third shelf. Place

on layers of newspapers in the oven (the oven temperature is low enough to use paper safely), and bake for 3 to 3 1/2 hours, or until a skewer comes out clean. Brush with brandy. Cover with greaseproof (parchment) paper and wrap in a kitchen towel. Let cool in the pan, and remove when the cake is cold.

## Light Fruitcake

- 3/4 cup unsalted butter
- 1/2 cup caster (superfine) sugar
- 3 eggs
- 1 cup sultanas (golden raisins)
- 2/3 cup currants
- 1/4 cup chopped glace apricots
- 1/4 cup chopped glace figs
- 2 cups chopped glace cherries
- 1/2 cup coarsely chopped macadamia nuts
- 1 1/2 cups plain (all-purpose) flour
- 1/2 cup self-raising flour
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1 tablespoon sweet sherry
- Nuts or glace cherries

1. Preheat the oven to 315°F. Line a deep 8-inch round cake pan (follow instructions for fruit cake). Cream the softened butter and sugar in a bowl until just combined. Add the eggs, beating well after each addition.

2. Transfer to a large bowl, and stir in the fruit and nuts. Stir in half the flours and milk, and stir. Stir in the remaining flours, milk and the sherry. Spoon into the pan and tap to remove air bubbles. Smooth the surface with wet fingers and decorate with nuts or cherries. Wrap the outside of the pan (see instructions for fruitcake). Place on layers of newspaper in the oven and bake for 1 3/4 to 2 hours or until a skewer comes out clean.

3. Remove from the oven, and wrap in a kitchen towel until cool. Remove the pan's lining, and wrap the cake in foil or store in an airtight container.

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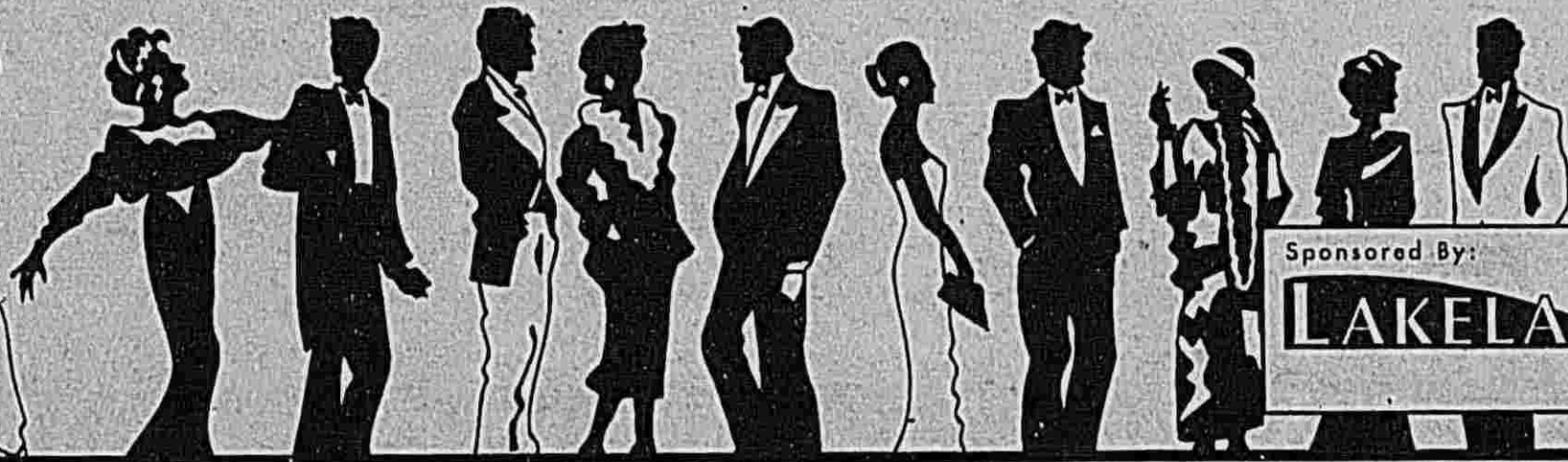
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